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Katyushas hit Petah Tikva; 2 die, many hurt

By MACABEE DEAN, Jerusalem Post Reporter

PETAH TIKVA.—Two people—one a young girl — were killed, and about 25 wounded in a Katyusha rocket attack on Petah Tikva at 10.30 last night.

Rockets fell on the Rivka Hospital for Chronic Patients near Shikun Amami in the east of the town, and on the Geula school nearby. Two classrooms were damaged, at the school, but no one was injured at the school. The densely-populated Sha'ariya quarter was also hit.

The dead girl was named as Anat Darshani, aged 5. A single rocket which landed on her family's house in the Sha'ariya quarter killed her and wounded her parents and other members of her family.

At the hospital, two rockets hit Block No. 2, blowing off the tiled roof and wrecking two rooms. Nine patients were in the block at the time, preparing to go to bed. The force of the blast damaged all the other rooms in the block, as well as other blocks and the central building of the hospital.

The blasts were heard all over the town, and hundreds of people began streaming towards the hospital. Police patrols circulated with loudspeakers urging townspeople to remain indoors for fear of further explosions.

Within minutes, Magen David Adom ambulances began arriving, and the dead and wounded were evacuated to the Beilinson, Hasharon and Ichilov hospitals, where emergency teams of surgeons were standing by. Unharmed patients were brought in from the blocks to the central building.

All electricity and telephone wires at the Rivka Hospital were broken, and Post Office and Electric Company engineers were soon at work trying to restore power. The work was done by the beams of searchlights and headlamps.

Defence Minister Moshe Dayan visited the Beilinson Hospital after midnight. Speaking at the bedsides of the wounded, he said that as long as the state of war and terrorist activities continued, it was difficult to ensure that such incidents did not occur. In answer to a reporter's question, he added that in as much as it depended on him, the rights of the inhabitants of the administered areas would not be impaired or curtailed. "With workers from the areas or without, with visitors or without, such incidents are difficult to guard against," he declared.

He said that the information in his possession pointed to the Katyushas having been of 130 mm. calibre — giving them a range of 18 kms. Thus they could have been fired from across the "green line." He could not say with certainty that Israeli Arabs had not been accessories, but he thought they had not.

He said that the entire area from which the Katyushas might have been fired had been surrounded, and a curfew imposed on the Arab villages in the area. (Petah Tikva is about eight kilometres west of the old armistice line.)

He assumed that the attack was the work of a gang of terrorists who had trained in Jordan and had been operating in the West Bank.

High-ranking police and army officers were soon on the scene, and began investigating the incident.

The last terrorist attack in the Tel Aviv area was on November 6, last year, when one man was killed and 34 injured in a series of blasts at the Central Bus Station.

U.S. mission expected to meet Sadat

Jerusalem Post Arab Affairs Reporter

Cairo continued to maintain complete silence yesterday about the mission of the two American diplomats. The envoys yesterday held their third day of negotiations with Egyptian officials over Washington's latest ideas for a Middle East settlement, beginning with an interim agreement on a Suez Canal reopening.

The two diplomats, Michael Sterner, in charge of the Egyptian Desk at the State Department, and Donald Bergus, in charge of American interests in Egypt, also maintained strict secrecy about their mission.

The two men appeared yesterday to be making progress amid Cairo's obvious refusal to elaborate on its position over the American initiative, which was termed by the Soviet newspaper "Pravda" as a "game of plans, proposals and memorandums."

The Egyptian state radio yesterday devoted its main commentary to criticizing the U.S. recent visit to Israel by C.I.A. chief Richard Helms, who was accused of having come to promote the activities of his office "against the region through Israel."

Egyptian radio networks made no mention of either Mr. Sterner or Mr. Bergus or their mission in Cairo. Egyptian political sources were last night quoted as saying that the two men were expected to meet President Sadat over the week-end.

SCHEEL IN ISRAEL

MR. Scheel's long planned visit has come at an opportune time. It will enable Israel to examine in detail its relations with the Federal Republic of Germany, on the bilateral level, as well as in the context of the German role in the European Economic Community.

Since Mr. Eban's visit to Germany over a year ago, new and cooler winds have been blowing from the direction of Bonn. The present German Government makes no secret of the fact that it seeks to re-establish ties with the Arab states, broken off by the Arabs in 1965 following the establishment of diplomatic relations between Israel and the Federal Republic — a goal which is Bonn's internal affair. But in pursuit of this policy, statements were made to the effect that Germany's debt to Israel had been paid and that the present Socialist-led government, unlike its Christian Democratic predecessor, was less obligated to the Jews and to Israel.

The attitude of the German Government seems to be symptomatic of that of other Western European governments, a situation which should be of concern to Israeli leaders. This attitude was reflected in the still mysterious evolution of the so-called "Schumann Document" and even more so at the recent meeting of the Socialist International in Helsinki, where the Prime Minister had personally to enter the lists to forestall an anti-Israeli resolution.

In Bonn the key word now seems to be "normalization," mainly in cultural and economic relations, an approach to which the Israeli Government cannot and should not agree. The relations between Germans and Jews are such that the term "normalization" can never be applied. Israel has the right to insist that the special relations, which were the cornerstone of Dr. Adenauer's policy, continue under Chancellor Brandt and his successors. This means that Israel should ask and receive preferential treatment in the political, economic and security spheres.

Mr. Scheel's visit might be an appropriate occasion for Israelis to examine their own attitude to Europe. Our concern with Washington has often been at the expense of efforts to maintain our standing in Europe, which has slipped in the past three years. We have often dealt with minor and sometimes irrelevant issues, such as the still existing law limiting cultural ties with Germany, a law which is consistently flouted and could be quietly dispensed with.

Mr. Scheel's visit must call our attention to the fact that there is still much that we can do in Europe to shore up our faltering position. Improvement there would strengthen our standing in the United States and would dissolve some of the feeling here of growing isolation.

Although there is little new that the German Foreign Minister can tell us, his visit is an important milestone in the evolution of our ties with Germany. Better understanding with Germany is useful and necessary, but what is needed goes beyond that — willingness by the Bonn Government openly to espouse the interests of Israel.

Weizmann award for Premier Meir

By MARK SEGAL
Jerusalem Post Reporter

REHOVOT. — Premier Golda Meir yesterday spoke ironically of those "who, having sought to tell us that geography is unimportant, are now striving to persuade us of the insignificance of the history of the Jewish people."

Mrs. Meir was speaking after being awarded an honorary fellowship of the Weizmann Institute of Science here. In an apparent reference to a charge levelled by "Newsweek's" columnist Stewart Alsop, Mrs. Meir declared: "They now say I have a Masada complex... They want to re-educate us. Having said that geography is unimportant, they now strive to persuade us of the insignificance of the history of the Jewish people. They want us to forget Masada. Very soon they will tell us to forget the Holocaust."

Mrs. Meir said that a "consciousness of enjoying the great privilege of living in our own land must be ever-present."

The Prime Minister stressed the need for an all-out effort to eradicate the pockets of poverty in Israel society.

The proceedings were opened by Mr. Maurice Boukstein, chairman of the Institute's Executive Council, who spoke in Hebrew. Professor Albert B. Sabin, president of the Institute, said that the Prime Minister was honouring the Weizmann Institute by becoming an honorary fellow.

Then came Institute Chancellor Meyer W. Weisgal, an old friend of Mrs. Meir, who referred to "Golda as a phenomenon of our time." He recalled that both Mrs. Meir and he faced a turbulent world in their youth (see page five).

Prof. Gideon Yekutieli, chairman of the Institute's Scientific Council, read the scroll of fellowship: "In recognition of her extraordinary services to the Jewish people, to the Zionist movement, and to the State of Israel — as pioneer, labour leader, Ambassador, Minister of Labour, Foreign Minister, and as Prime Minister; of her unparalleled ability to personify and articulate Israel's will to endure as a nation in freedom and in peace; and of her deep understanding of the contribution made to the Jewish renaissance by the Weizmann Institute of Science."

Weizmann Institute President Professor Albert Sabin presents an honorary fellowship to Premier Golda Meir. (Israel Sun)

After the ceremony at the Institute, the Premier took part in a cornerstone-laying ceremony of the Shirley and Meyer Weisgal Youth and Sports Centre in Rehovot. The American Ambassador, Mr. Walworth Barbour, also attended, and Mr. David Ben-Gurion was present on the dais.

The Centre will cost some IL5m. and will include a swimming-pool and sports facilities.

'Past should not govern the talks'

By BRIAN ARTHUR
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

BONN. — A prominent member of Bonn Foreign Minister Walter Scheel's Free Democratic Party said yesterday that one of Mr. Scheel's chief tasks on his current visit in Israel would be to "establish a relationship between West Germany and Israel which was not one-sided and excessively" determined by the past.

Fritz Oellers, a former Bonn Ambassador to Brazil and Turkey and head of the F.D.P.s committee on foreign affairs, also made clear that Mr. Scheel would try to convince Israeli leaders that they should "accept the consequences" of growing European political unity as expressed in the Common Market's controversial Middle East paper.

Oellers, whose remarks were printed in the official F.D.P press service, said: "We cannot believe Israel is determined to put pressure at the supposedly weakest point in order to push the Community of the Six back to its position prior to the drafting of the Middle East paper."

The E.E.C. document adopted last May by the six Common Market Foreign Ministers is viewed by Israel as French-inspired and pro-Arab. Jerusalem wants assurances from Mr. Scheel that the paper is not binding on West Germany.

Oeller's statement was perhaps the clearest, though unofficial, expression to date of the "balanced line" which Chancellor Willy Brandt's left-liberal coalition intends to draw in its relations with Israelis and Arabs.

The Post's Diplomatic Reporter writes:

Political circles in Jerusalem reacted sharply yesterday to the statement by a French spokesman that West German Foreign Minister Walter Scheel would transmit to the Israel Government a "common position of the members of the European Community" on the Middle East during his visit here. Israel expected to learn of the Federal Republic's policies from authorized German sources, political circles said, and not from the spokesman of the Government of of France.

SCHEEL SAYS THE PAST STILL AFFECTS TIES

Jerusalem Post Staff

West Germany Foreign Minister Walter Scheel said last night that he attaches special significance to his visit to Israel in view of recent discussions between the two countries, which he thought were based on some misunderstanding.

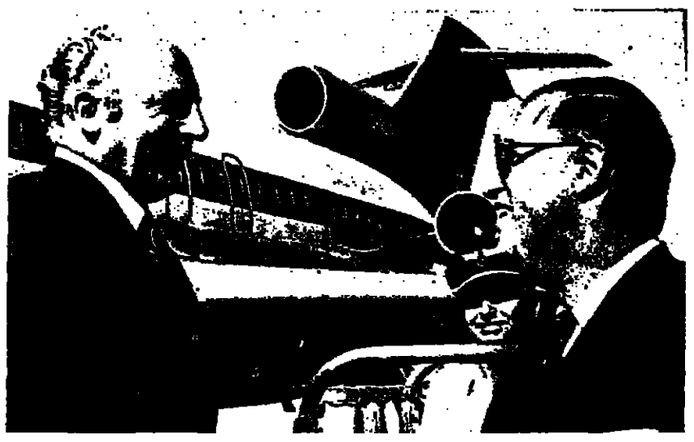
Mr. Scheel, who arrived here yesterday afternoon for a four-day official visit, said that "clarifying talks between both Governments were important and in place."

Replying to a speech by Foreign Minister Abba Eban, who was Mr. Scheel's host at a dinner at the Knesset, the German Foreign Minister stressed that the question of German-Israel relations, both in Israel and in Germany, cannot be free from the thoughts of the past. "Nobody should be astonished that today, 30 years after the Hitler period, the horrible events of the past still have their impact on the relationship between our countries and our peoples. No German can forget the darkest page in German history," he stressed.

Expressing satisfaction that he was the first German Foreign Minister to visit Israel, Mr. Scheel said that with the establishing of diplomatic relations in 1965 both Governments had decided to cooperate despite the past. Noting the significant progress in various fields since 1965, Mr. Scheel pledged his Government's readiness to contribute its share for the further improvement of relations between both countries.

Departing from his prepared text, the German Foreign Minister emphasized the interest of Europe in unity and in peace in the Middle East.

Mr. Eban — welcoming Mr. Scheel to Israel, the home and the last hope of a people only recently visited by the "most dreadful Holocaust" — said that "every German endowed with a sensitive imagination and historical consciousness realizes that we cannot sever our relations today from their extraordinary historical context." In making his stand against any possible "normalization," Mr. Eban added, however: "We are determined not to allow the past to take up the entire contents of our relations."



West German Foreign Minister Walter Scheel, left, being greeted by Foreign Minister Abba Eban at Lod Airport yesterday. (Hets photo)

Pointing out the expanding web of relations between Israel and Western Germany, Mr. Eban expressed confidence that the "new Germany" would help advance the peace and welfare of "sovereign Israel." He said Israel respects all those who respected Israel's right to enjoy security and to reach an agreed peace with her neighbours "without foreign dictates or pressures."

Noting Israel's "considerable interest" in the progress of West Germany's efforts to improve relations with her neighbours to the East, Mr. Eban said this country "of course respected the right of the Government of the Federal Republic to accept, or reject, any suggestion as it saw fit." Israel, he added, expected a similar attitude from every friendly government "toward matters touching on Israel's vital interests."

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Record month for Soviet emigration

MOSCOW (UPI). — June was a record month for Jewish emigration from Soviet Russia, unofficial sources said here, with 1,300 Jews receiving exit permits. The sources gave the total figure for 1971 as 5,000 so far, although official sources said this was exaggerated.

End disputes, Sadat tells terrorists

Jerusalem Post Arab Affairs Reporter

Egyptian President Anwar Sadat last night urged the different terrorist organizations to unite, and stressed that the Arab people would no longer accept the differences and shortcomings in the movement.

Sadat was speaking at the opening session of the ninth congress of the Palestine National Council (Parliament) in Cairo. His 10-minute address was broadcast live on the Cairo radio networks.

Saying that he would devote his speech to the terrorist movement itself, Sadat told the Council that the unity of "the Palestine revolution" takes precedence over everything else.

In an indirect reference to the dispute with Jordan, Sadat said that the Arab people would unreservedly back the terrorist movement "on the basis of the Cairo agreement and the Amman protocols" signed after last September's clashes in Jordan. He added that there was no alternative but to press for the implementation of these agreements, which at the time restricted the terrorist presence in Jordan to certain areas.

Sadat said he did not want to go into details of the Jordan Government-terrorist crisis, and expressed the hope that "current brotherly efforts" might end the strife.

The Egyptian President hinted at his displeasure at the terrorist opposition to Egypt's political efforts for a Middle East settlement and said Egypt had brought about the "isolation" of Israel "at a time others are making noises which do not benefit a friend or harm an enemy."

Sadat attended the congress with his cabinet ministers. He was flanked by the Fatah chief, Yasser Arafat, and Abdul-Khalek Hassouneh, Secretary-General of the Arab League, at whose headquarters the meeting is being held.

Amid the prevailing differences among the Palestine Liberation Organization leadership and the terrorist establishment, it was not clear who indeed attended the meeting of the council, which comprises 151 seats. The Speaker of the outgoing council, Yehia Hamoudeh, did not attend yesterday's conference. Several P.L.O. leaders were believed to have taken the same step.

HELMS REPORTS TO NIXON

By EDWIN FRENKEL
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

WASHINGTON. — C.I.A. chief Richard Helms reported on Tuesday to President Nixon on his talks in Israel. Secretary of State William Rogers was also present at the meeting, said to have been held aboard the presidential plane as Mr. Nixon was travelling to the California White House.

While Mr. Helms' visit is said to have been directly linked with present U.S. efforts to renew the diplomatic momentum for an interim settlement, observers believe that his appraisal of the entire complex of problems facing the U.S. in the area could affect the details of the present diplomatic efforts as well.

These observers believe that if there is even the slightest sign of forward motion in the Bergus-Sterner talks in Cairo — of which there is yet no sign — the State Department will move strongly to elicit movement from Israel as well. This would in the first instance express itself in a visit to Jerusalem by Assistant Secretary of State Joseph Sisco. State Department officials have said privately that in the event of such a trip, Mr. Sisco would probably travel only to Jerusalem, and not make another general tour of the area.

The real question posed for U.S. diplomats, these observers say, is whether to press Israel even in the absence of any flexibility on the part of Cairo. Such a move it is thought would be a matter of presidential decision. In the past Mr. Nixon has resisted appeals for "greater muscle" toward Israel, when its usefulness has been in doubt.

Israel's Ambassador, Mr. Yitzhak Rabin, it is learned, will return to Israel for a visit whether or not Mr. Sisco finally decides to go. Mr. Rabin's return on leave was long scheduled, but in view of the recent diplomatic developments he was requested by the Prime Minister to delay his return.

Jordan hangs Fatah man

Jerusalem Post Arab Affairs Reporter

A member of a Fatah "secret order" was hanged before dawn by the Jordanian authorities yesterday in the town of Russeifeh, near Amman, where he blew up a phosphate oven last month.

The man was identified as Ghaleb Sa'id Ibrahim Hassan, who was referred to in an official statement as a "criminal." He was sentenced to death by a military court which now deals with the saboteurs under new legislation providing the death penalty for anyone offending the state security through sabotage or the illegal possession of weapons.

Yesterday's execution was the first to be carried out under the newly revised law.

Heath appeals for support in EEC bid

LONDON. (UPI). — The Government yesterday urged Britons to support membership in the European Common Market rather than become subservient in any economic alliance with the U.S.

The plea came as political sources disclosed that opposition Labour Party leader Harold Wilson has decided to use the Common Market issue in an attempt to force a general election and oust the Conservatives from power.

Prime Minister Edward Heath told a packed House of Commons that his Government would seek Parliament's approval in October, after the summer recess, for a "decision in principle" to join the EEC on the basis of the terms already negotiated.

A negative vote by Labour's 281 M.P.s and the 40 Conservative anti-marketeers would deprive Heath of the Parliamentary majority he needs.

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From the U.S.A.

Social and Personal

The Minister of Tourism and Mrs. Moshe Kol yesterday entertained to luncheon at the Knesset Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Gottesman of New York.

Mr. Leo Bernstein, chief executive officer of Israel Bonds, yesterday met with the Minister of Tourism, Mr. Moshe Kol.

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Mr. J.M.N. Zikusoka, the Minister of Communications, Transport, Housing and Public Works of Uganda, and his wife, were the dinner guests of Minister of Transport and Comunications Shimon Peres in Jerusalem on Tuesday evening. The dinner was also attended by the directors-general of the Ministries of Transport and Communications; the heads of Zim, El Al and the Ports Authority; and Mr. Ted Lurie, editor-in-chief of *The Jerusalem Post*.

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The Governor of the Bank of Israel and Mrs. David Horowitz held a reception at their home on Tuesday for Prof. Sir Isaiah Berlin and Lady Berlin. Among the guests were the president of the Supreme Court, Justice Shimon Agranat; the Minister of Immigration, Mr. Nathan Peled; Knesset Members and other public figures.

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Senator Robert Packwood of Oregon yesterday called on Herut Chairman Menahem Begin, M.K., in the Knesset.

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Mr. Antonius Andronicus, the Cypriot Government Secretary, yesterday called on the adviser of the Civil Service Commissioner, Mr. Mordechai Wertheimer.

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Two groves, in honour of Binyamin West and in memory of Mordechai Shenker, were dedicated in the J.N.F.'s Forest of the Russian Pioneers yesterday. Both men are natives of Berditchev and pioneers of Zionism and work on behalf of Russian Jewry.

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The weekly Tel Aviv-Jaffa Rotary group meeting, to be held today at 1.15 p.m. at the Z.O.A. House, will be addressed by Mr. Meir Nahtomi, who will report on a tour of South Africa.

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Tourism Minister Moshe Kol will speak on "The Stand of Liberal Leaders in Europe on the Middle East Problem" at the Jerusalem Vocal Newspaper, 9 p.m. Friday at Beit Ha'am. Other speakers will be Mr. Dov Yinon, Israel Broadcasting Arab Affairs Commentator (on "Changes in Egypt and Changes for a Settlement with Israel"), and Dr. Yona Ben Shushan (on "Destruction and Redemption — the Jewish View.") Moderator: Mr. Victor Greibsky, Israel Broadcasting.

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Prof. David Nachmanson of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, New York, will lecture on "Proteins in Excitable Membranes and their Role in Bioelecfricity" tomorrow, Friday, at 11 a.m., in Lecture Hall Daled, Hebrew University-Hadassah Medical School, Ein Karem, Jerusalem.

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Dr. M. Dotan will discuss the Tel Ashdod archaeological excavations on Monday, at 8 p.m., at Beit Agron, Jerusalem.

Israel joins finalists in student chess

MAYAGUEZ, Puerto Rico (AP). — Puerto Rico, the Soviet Union, Austria, the U.S., Iceland, Brazil, Israel, Canada and Colombia on Tuesday entered the final round of the 18th World University Chess Olympics, being played here.

The team score at the end of the elimination round was: Group 1 — U.S.S.R., 13, Puerto Rico, 8, Austria, 8, Peru, 7, Ecuador, 4. Group 2 — U.S., 13, Iceland, 11, Brazil, 8, Dominican Republic, 6½, Mexico 1½. Group 3 — Israel, 16½, Canada, 14½, Colombia, 11, Costa Rica, 6½, Guatemala, 6½, Venezuela, 5½.

Left: Premier Golda Meir pays her last respects before the coffin of Yitzhak Tabenkin as it lay in state in Tel Aviv yesterday morning. Right: Yigal Allon and Israel Galili carrying the coffin. (Photos Newsphot)

PREMIER, MINISTERS AT FUNERAL OF TABENKIN

Jerusalem Post Staff

EIN HAROD. — Yitzhak Tabenkin, the Ahdut Ha'avoda ideologist, was laid to rest in his kibbutz, Ein Harod, yesterday afternoon. The funeral of the veteran labour leader — who died on Tuesday at the age of 84 — was attended by Ministers Yigal Allon, Yisrael Galili, Moshe Dayan, Pinhas Sapir and Ze'ev Sharef, the Chief of Staff, O.C. Central Command, senior officers, Histadrut Secretary-General Yitzhak Ben-Aharon and his Deputy Y. Meshel, heads of the Labour and Mapam Parties, Knesset Members, settlers from all over the country, youths and soldiers.

The coffin was laid in state at the Zisling Centre in the kibbutz, where mourners paid their last respects. Mr. Galili, in an eulogy, said that the "man who was always on fire, who it seemed would never be burned, has burnt out. He played a decisive role in our lives, and enriched and enlivened everyone around him and the whole nation."

He was one of the group of giants who accomplished the Hebrew revolution and one of the architects of the Socialist-Zionist school. He was father of the school which gave birth to the independent Hebrew armed forces before the state was established.

He was a fighter for the cooperative life of the kibbutzim and against the exclusiveness of private capital in the upbuilding of the country. He often quarrelled, but his opinions were respected even by his rivals. He was not an easy man, because he was not easy on himself.

"He loved the people and we loved him. May his heritage direct us in future," Mr. Galili said.

The grave was covered with dark basalt rocks by the kibbutz members, and over these dozens of wreaths were placed.

At the graveside a kibbutz member, Eliezer Levita, eulogized Tabenkin, and Tabenkin's son, Moshe, read an excerpt from his father's book, "Lessons of the Six Day War," in which he expressed strong support for keeping the present borders.

In Tel Aviv, Prime Minister Golda Meir eulogized Yitzhak Tabenkin at the porch of the Histadrut Executive, where the body lay in state for 90 minutes yesterday morning. She was moved to tears. "The law of nature, I know... But it is so sad." Tabenkin, she said, belonged to the "era of giants" who laid the foundations of the labour movement.

Mr. Yitzhak Ben-Aharon, Histadrut Secretary-General, who interrupted his tour of Germany and returned early yesterday morning, said Tabenkin was a symbol of "our people's fight for its rights." Choked by tears, he added: "We have done much wrong to him. I hope he knew how much we loved him."

While the body lay in state, a guard of honour made up of veteran labour leaders stood near it. The last group consisted of Mr. Allon, Mr. Galili, Mr. Ben-Aharon, Mr. Meshel, and former Histadrut Secretary-General Aharon Becker.

Mr. David Ben-Gurion arrived shortly before the eulogies began. Mr. Meir Yaari, the Mapam leader, was also among the mourners, who included the Knesset Speaker, Mr. Reuven Barkatt, the Secretary-General of the Labour Party, Mr. Yisrael Yeshayahu, Miss Hanna Rovina, the actress, and Mr. Uri Zvi Grinberg, the poet.

U.S. watches China build-up of new naval base

WASHINGTON (AP). — U.S. reconnaissance planes have been watching development of what may become a new Communist Chinese naval base in strategically-located islands about 300 miles east of South Vietnam. Pentagon reports tell of a large number of Chinese-escorted ship convoys carrying construction materials in recent months to the Paracel Islands in the South China Sea.

The Paracels are a group of coral islands whose ownership is disputed Claims to them have been made by China, Taiwan, South Vietnam and the Philippines.

A base in the Paracels would put the Chinese in a position to project their expanding naval forces more effectively in a sea area touching South Vietnam, the Philippines and Indonesia. Sources said the Chinese have demonstrated, by warnings broadcast over Peking Radio, that they are sensitive about U.S. overflights in the Paracel area.

U.S. cameras have photographed construction of a ship berthing area, a jetty and more than 50 buildings, as well as dredging of a channel at Woody Island, one of the largest of the group.

Thirty-seven Sam missile sites have been sighted, with at least 10 more expected by the end of this year. Most recently, three new sites were detected in a position to defend certain important areas, including Peking.

One of these sites was at Chang Chia Kou, northwest of Peking and along the most direct approach from Mongolia, which is nominally independent but considered in the Soviet orbit.

The missiles deployed in China are the SA-2 types apparently modelled after Russian weapons deployed in North Vietnam and Egypt.

T.A.U. to get faculty of engineering

TEL AVIV. — The Tel Aviv University Senate Monday formally endorsed the opening of a faculty of engineering at the University. This was in line with the Government's decision to allow the University to start undergraduate engineering studies as of the fall of 1972. Meanwhile, courses will be held for masters' and Ph.D. studies.

As of the 1972/73 academic year, the University will also offer courses in mechanics, aeronautics, electronics, the study of matter and bio-medical studies.

The engineering faculty will be headed by Prof. Morris Brull and Prof. Shlomo Karni. Prof. Brull has considerable industrial experience as well as having filled senior academic posts at the Universities of Michigan and Pennsylvania. Prof. Brull headed one of the divisions of the Atlas rocket project, and specialized in the technique of developing protective devices against atmospheric heat hazards for astronauts when the rocket re-enters the Earth's atmosphere. Prof. Brull spent 1969/70 as a guest professor in aeronautics at the Technion and decided to settle in Israel with his family.

Prof. Karni holds degrees from the Technion, Yale, and the University of Illinois. He has published 40 scientific works as well as two standard text-books in electronics engineering. In the past decade he has lectured at the University of New Mexico and was visiting professor at the University of Hawaii. He was also with the research laboratories of the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission and at the Armaments Laboratories of the U.S. Air Force.

Franco-Algerian 'storm over'

PARIS (Reuter). — The stormy period of relations between France and Algeria, sparked off by the recent oil dispute, is over, the chairman of the French National Assembly's Foreign Affairs Committee said here yesterday.

Mr. Jean de Broglie said on his return from a three-day visit to Algeria: "The storm has passed. Cooperation between our two countries will continue in order to deal with the new situation."

The oil dispute, which has been simmering for some time, broke into the open in February when Algeria partially nationalised all French oil interests there. After months of acrimony, the largest French company involved, the Compagnie Francaise des Petroles, reached a compensation agreement last week with the Algerian authorities.

Worth of U.S. Europe army doubted

WASHINGTON (AP). — U.S. Senate Majority Leader Mike Mansfield said yesterday the resistance capacity of the U.S. Seventh Army in Europe has become questionable with its soldiers beset by problems of "drugs, race and field comforts."

The Montana Democrat served notice he intends to launch a new campaign this year for phased cutbacks that would reduce the 300,000-strong U.S. force in Europe to one division by about 1976.

Mansfield acknowledged his proposals would lower the threshold of nuclear war but he stressed the deterrent meaning of the 7,000 tactical nuclear weapons which U.S. forces have deployed through Europe.

"The U.S. is shouldering a lopsided burden it cannot afford," he said in an interview.

"The Europeans nevertheless should realize things cannot go on much longer like this," he said. "For a start, the Germans should do more."

Speaking of the state of the Seventh Army, Mansfield complained the force is over-officered with too many dependents — 225,000 of them around. He continued: "In the beginning, the Seventh Army was a very good army; now it is not because of such factors as drugs, race problems, field comforts and too many dependents."

Hijack doctor gets 3½ years

STOCKHOLM (Reuter). — A 42-year-old Greek doctor, Vasilios Tsironis, was jailed here yesterday for three and a half years for hijacking an Olympic Airways plane from Greece to Albania in August 1969. He is the second person to be jailed in Sweden for a hijack offence.

Last year, a 33-year-old stonemason, Giorgios Flamondis, also Greek, was sentenced to 22 months imprisonment for hijacking an Athens-bound Olympic Airways plane from Crete to Cairo in January 1969.

GANDHI WARNS U.S. ON PAKISTAN

NEW DELHI. — The Indian Government told the U.S. yesterday that if it continues to supply arms to Pakistan there can be no hope for a political settlement of the East Pakistan situation.

Official Indian sources said this was made clear to Dr. Henry Kissinger, special adviser to President Nixon, in talks he had here yesterday with Prime Minister Indira Gandhi and Foreign Minister Swaran Singh.

The supply of arms, even if of non-lethal weapons as the U.S. claimed, posed a serious threat to the peace of the sub-continent because they could not be separated from the $2,000m. worth of military assistance provided to Pakistan between 1954 and 1965, the sources said.

During a 45-minute meeting with Mrs. Gandhi, Dr. Kissinger delivered a letter from President Nixon, but the contents were not disclosed.

In Parliament the Government gave an assurance that India's security forces would be able to deal with any armed infiltration from Pakistan into the Indian-controlled portions of disputed Kashmir state.

"We are in a much better state of preparedness than in 1965 to meet the situation," Home Affairs Minister K.C. Pant told members, who were concerned that Pakistan might try to cause trouble in Kashmir to divert attention from East Pakistan developments.

In Rawalpindi, Pakistani Foreign Ministry sources said that the U.S. had assured Pakistan that it would not interfere with four or five more shiploads of military spare parts and ammunition bought in America under licence and still scheduled to arrive.

Dr. Kissinger is due here today from New Delhi.

According to the Foreign Ministry sources, the U.S. has ruled that it will not issue new licences to Pakistan but will permit the supply of material purchased under existing licences. The source said the parts and ammunition were bought in commercial deals, but did not disclose the terms. *(Reuter, AP)*

"NEITHER TOTAL WAR, NOR TOTAL PEACE"

M.-E. tension will go on for long time: Peres

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — Transport Minister Shimon Peres said yesterday that the present situation in the Middle East was likely to continue for a long time.

"I foresee no drastic change in our situation during the months to come, and we shall remain under political tension on the edge of renewed fighting," he told the opening session of the ninth conference of the Israel Society for the Advancement of Science, held at the Technion.

He expected neither total war nor total peace.

Mr. Peres said that in addition to the security dangers, "we shall also have to come to grips with a bundle of new, social problems for which there are no fast, or easy solutions. We have to prepare ourselves for a long-term struggle with these double challenges."

At an impromptu press conference after his speech, Mr. Peres said in answer to your reporter's question that there was no reason "to get excited" about the forthcoming Sisco visit. He noted that the echoes of the recent Soviet-Egypt pact were reaching the free world after some delay. The free world would then "wake up and have second thoughts on what has taken place in the Middle East. Europe is beginning to realize that Russia, by jumping into the Middle East, has endangered and activated Europe's rear door, which may be more dangerous than the front door."

Asked about the situation on the West Bank, Mr. Peres said that the rift between the West Bank and Jordan was deepening. On the other hand the rift between the West Bank and Israel was getting smaller. Life was being normalized and economic activities were flourishing. He hoped that the same situation would develop in the Gaza Strip.

Turning to transport matters, the Minister said that the Ministry would decide this month on one of the 40 proposals made by foreign rail companies and research institutes for a rapid transport system. This would be achieved through "integrated" passenger trains, travelling both below and above ground, starting in the Dan area and by stages taking in Jerusalem and finally Haifa.

As to the construction of the rail line passages in Haifa — which has been suspended under Orthodox pressure because it was carried out on Saturdays, when the railways do not run — Mr. Peres said he was considering the alternatives, such as night work, "because I have no intention of making the religious population angry." He noted that under the *status quo* agreement the work could be done on the Sabbath, as it was in the past.

Cancer research lectureship

Professor George Klein, director of the Tumour Biology Institute of the Karolinska Institute, Stockholm, will be the first distinguished academic to hold a new annual lectureship in cancer research formally endowed at the Hebrew University yesterday in memory of Rabbi Shai Shacknai of Wayne, New Jersey. Prof. Klein will take up the post during the 1971/72 academic year.

The initiative for the establishment of the lectureship came from Mr. Frank Lautenberg, of Montclair, N.J., who was a congregant and admirer of the late Rabbi Shacknai, who was born in Jerusalem and died of cancer at the age of 38 two years ago.

Mr. Lautenberg said at the endowment ceremony that the rabbi inspired an active involvement with Jewry in previously uncommitted Jews, such as himself. In a moving tribute to the rabbi, Mr. Lautenberg told the gathering that he wanted to perpetuate his memory in a way he would have been proud of.

Among those present at the dedicatory lunch at the University's Belgium House Faculty Club yesterday were Mr. Lautenberg, president of Automatic Data Processing, Inc.; Mr. Samuel Rothberg, chairman of the University's Board of Governors; Prof. Jonathan Magnes, dean of the Faculty of Medicine; Prof. Moshe Shilo, pro-rector of the University; Prof. David Weiss, head of the Medical School's Department of Immunology, where the new lectureship will be; and members of Rabbi Shacknai's family: his widow, Mrs. Shirley Shacknai; their two sons, David, 12, and Daniel, 9; his twin brother, Gideon Shacknai, of Suffern, New York; and Mrs. Shacknai's brother, Mr. Emanuel Zeid of New Haven, Connecticut. Also present were 15 of the rabbi's former students, in Israel on a summer programme.

237 still being held in Turkey

ANKARA (Reuter). — Ankara's military command has arrested 237 persons and placed 56 others under surveillance since martial law was proclaimed two months ago, General Semih Sancar announced yesterday.

The General said in a statement that a total of 1,008 persons had been taken into custody, of whom 474 were released after questioning and 241 turned over to the civil authorities.

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Agnew begins Kuwait talks

KUWAIT (Reuter). — Visiting American Vice-President Spiro Agnew discussed the Middle East crisis and bilateral relations during a one-hour meeting with Sheikh Sabah al-Salim al-Sabah, the ruler of Kuwait, at al-Seif Palace here yesterday.

Kuwait State Radio said matters of interest to both sides were also discussed during the talks, which were attended by the Crown Prince and Premier, Sheikh Jaber al-Ahmed al-Sabah, Foreign Minister Sheikh Sabah al-Ahmed al-Sabah, and the American Ambassador here, Mr. John Walsh.

Local newsmen were not allowed near the heavily-guarded palace, which the two leaders entered after a drive through the flag-bedecked streets, and officials were tight-lipped about the Vice-President's next move.

In an arrival statement Mr. Agnew hailed "your rapid social and economic progress, the constant effort you have made to improve the quality of life for the whole society, Kuwait's generosity in sharing its prosperity with other nations and your sincere concern for helping to solve world problems."

The Vice-President said he will stress that U.S. aid for Israel is designed to maintain Middle East stability and, "that we do not seek to place any nation in a position of military superiority of the type that would encourage aggression." *(Reuter, AP)*

Terrorists tell 'how they hit Coral Sea'

BEIRUT (AP). — The Israel-chartered tanker Coral Sea did not explode when it was attacked on June 11 because the captain veered away after the first hit and "dumped his cargo," four Arab terrorists who attacked the ship claimed yesterday.

The four men said they hit the tanker with 12 rockets before gunboats of unknown nationality chased their speedboat away. They also said an Israeli trawler had to tow the 78,000-ton tanker to Sharm e-Sheikh because it was so badly hit.

In an interview with the Beirut newspaper "Al Anwar," the terrorists explained at length their attack on the Liberian-registered tanker as it entered the Red Sea through the Bab el-Mandab Strait. "When the first rocket hit, the captain quickly changed course so that the ship's stern swung around and almost hit us. There was a fire on the tanker's main tower and it was probably at that time the ship began dumping its oil, which we think is what kept it from exploding," one of the terrorists said.

The four are members of the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine (PFLP), the group that hijacked four airliners last year and blew them up. The terrorists said they trained for two months before the attack and disguised themselves as fishermen.

SPACE. — Apollo 15 astronauts David R. Scott, Alfred M. Worden and James B. Irwin yesterday started 20 days of launch-site isolation in preparation for their July 26 moon blast-off.

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Shah: Iran won't cut Israel oil

PARIS (Reuter). — The Shah of Iran said in an interview published here on Tuesday that his country had no intention of imposing unilateral oil sanctions against Israel. He was answering questions posed by the Tunisian weekly "Jeune Afrique."

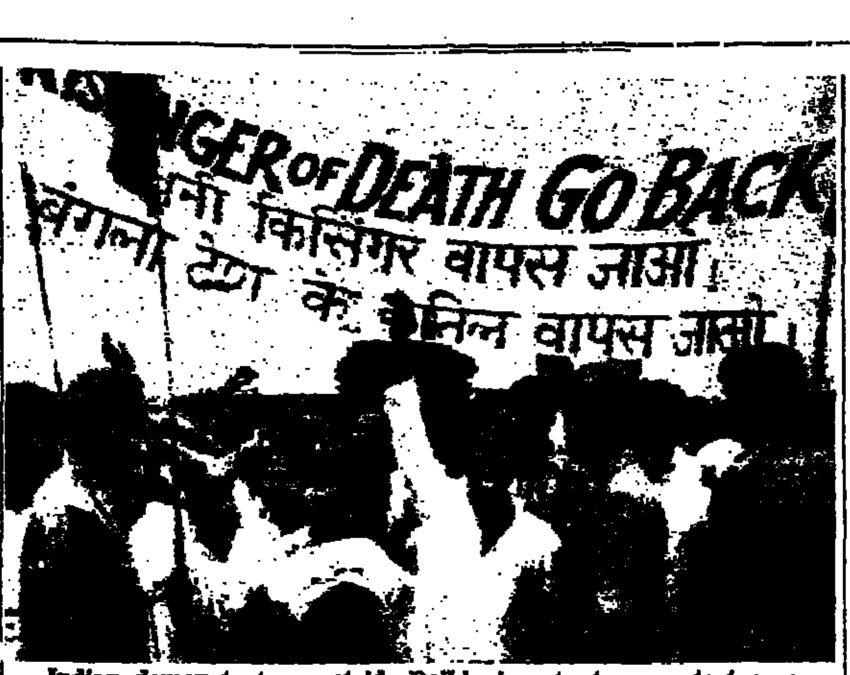
He told the interviewer that Egyptian President Anwar Sadat's latest proposals for a Middle East settlement seemed reasonable to him and that Iran stood by the 1967 U.N. Security Council resolution. The question of oil sanctions against Israel "is a matter for the U.N." He added: "Once the tankers are loaded, we do not know the ultimate destination of our oil. Anyway, who is to say that Arab oil is not exported to Israel. It could just be sent through another port to conceal its origin."

Gulf issue

On the Persian Gulf issue the Shah said that his forces would if necessary ensure the security of the area on their own once Britain pulled out. He said Iran did not want any other foreign power to replace Britain.

The Shah was asked to comment on reports that Iran's influence was growing markedly in the Gulf; that its armed forces were receiving increased supplies of modern equipment and that some even spoke openly of Iranian imperialistic designs.

He replied: "Our country is quite big and sufficiently rich in natural resources not to seek an expansionist policy... It is normal that our armed forces should have modern armaments. We should be in a position to ensure, alone, the full integrity and stability in the Persian Gulf... and to this end we will double and even treble our armaments."



Indian demonstrators outside Delhi airport stage protest over supply of American arms to Pakistan when U.S. presidential adviser Dr. Henry Kissinger arrived Tuesday. (AP radiophoto)

U.S. Salt negotiator is hopeful on eve of talks

HELSINKI (UPI). — The Chief U.S. negotiator to the resuming Strategic Arms Limitations Talks (Salt), Gerald C. Smith, arrived Tuesday with hopes for "concrete agreement" with Russia on nuclear arms cures this year. The talks open today.

The talks, which began in November, 1969, were given a major prop by a compromise agreement between the two super powers last May 20 to push for agreement.

Smith said, "This provides a framework within which we hope that the negotiations can be pursued more intensively to translate the understanding reached at the highest levels of both governments into concrete agreement."

"The May 20 announcement," Mr. Smith added, "sets forth the intention of both parties to concentrate this year on working out an agreement for the limitation of anti-ballistic missile systems together with agreements on certain measures with respect to limitation of offensive strategic weapons.

The forthcoming negotiations are considered to be of crucial importance.

They will test the compromise approach of the two super powers reached on the summit level this spring. President Nixon called it a "breakthrough" in the complex nuclear arms curb negotiations which have so far failed to produce accord.

The Russians have been less openly enthusiastic and their appearance here was expected to give an early indication of their intentions.

N.R.P.-linked council recruited J'lem schoolchildren for demonstration

By SUSAN BELLOS
Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Council for Religious Education, which is closely affiliated to the National Religious Party, has been singled out for criticism in an Education Ministry report on a demonstration of religious elementary schoolchildren which took place in Jerusalem three weeks ago. The demonstration involved several hundred children from the Hemeiri, Gonen Tet (State Religious) and Koshet Schools, who were demanding "a religious junior high for Katamon." The decision to start a religious middle school in Katamon was in fact announced after the demonstration.

However, the report, which was leaked to the radio on Monday, is still officially a secret, since it has not yet been presented either to Education Minister Yigal Allon or to Director-General Elad Peled, who returns to Israel on Sunday after a visit to Britain.

Part of the reason, apparently, for wanting to keep the report "on ice" is that there is fear of further exacerbating relations between the Ministry and the N.R.P. This, Ministry officials seem to feel, might harm negotiations when Mr. Allon meets N.R.P. Ministers Yosef Burg, Michael Hazani and Zerah Warhaftig to discuss educational problems on Friday.

While the Ministry spokesman steadfastly replied "no comment" yesterday to all questions about the report, the main points appear to be as follows:

- The demonstration was organized by the Council of Religious Education, which brought the children along in buses to the Municipality during school hours.
- Several leaders of the Council for Religious Education were seen directing the children at the demonstration.
- The demonstration took place without the permission of the district inspector; the headmasters concerned were apparently overwhelmed by representatives of the Council for Religious Education who marched into their classrooms and brought the children out. However, the headmasters, though they knew they were in the wrong, did not call the police or resort to any action.

The report is apparently couched in relatively mild language, and some Ministry officials said yesterday that this was perhaps due to the fact that the chairman of the committee set up to investigate the demonstration, Mr. Eliahu Bar-Hamma, is himself religious. (Mr. Bar-Hamma is the new Jerusalem district inspector.) Though the Ministry will undoubtedly draw conclusions from the report, there are apparently no recommendations in it.

Our Knesset Reporter adds:

A National Religious Party motion alleging discrimination against religious education in Jerusalem's Katamon quarters was withdrawn at the last moment in the Knesset yesterday.

Deputy Education Minister Aharon Yadlin was closeted with N.R.P. M.K.s before and during the session, apparently persuading them that they could rely on undertakings by Jerusalem education officials that Katamon would get a religious junior high school as soon as possible.

The N.R.P. had complained that two State secular junior highs were being organized in Katamon, and the religious parents were being pushed aside.

Setting the world's best time for the mile this year is Kipchonge Keino, of Kenya, foreground, during international athletics at the Olympic stadium in Stockholm Tuesday. He set up a time of 3 mins., 53.4 secs. Behind him is Ulf Hoegberg, of Sweden, who finished second. (AP radiophoto)

Athens court sentences 2 Communists

ATHENS (Reuter). — An Athens appeals court on Monday night sentenced two leading Communists to five and 10 years imprisonment for plotting to overthrow the military-backed government prior to a Communist takeover in Greece.

According to the indictment and witnesses for the prosecution, Efstratios Tsambis, 48, a sailor and a member of the outlawed Greek Communist Party Central Committee, and Constantine Litsas, 55, an electrician and a leading party member, entered Greece clandestinely after the army takeover in April, 1967. Their aim was to organize the underground machinery of the outlawed Greek Communist Party.

HIGHWAY. — Saudi Arabia has begun building a $220m. trans-desert highway to link its Red Sea shore with its Persian Gulf Port of Dammam.

The late Louis Armstrong plays for dancers during a tour of Africa.

JAZZ FUNERAL FOR 'SATCHMO'?

NEW YORK (Reuter). — The family of Louis Armstrong yesterday sought a huge hall to accommodate the thousands of mourners expected to want to pay final respects to the jazz great before his burial on Friday.

Armstrong, who died of heart failure at the age of 71 while he slept, will have as honorary pall bearers many of the top names in show business, including David Frost, Bing Crosby, Pearl Bailey, Ella Fitzgerald, Frank Sinatra, Dizzy Gillespie and Johnny Carson.

Whether it will be a regular religious service followed by a routine graveside ceremony, or a traditional New Orleans style jazz burial, is in doubt.

But there is little doubt that Armstrong would not have objected to the old-style funeral where a jazz musician's friends play and whoop it up.

"In New Orleans I played at as many funerals as I could get," Armstrong once said, "and cats died like flies, so I got a lot of nice gigs (jobs) out of that. It's business. They're going to enjoy blowing over me, ain't they?"

Armstrong did not mind talking about death, which he fought for 10 years because of a series of heart and kidney illnesses.

He said recently: "When the time comes for me to head for the Pearly Gates, I'll play a duet with Gabriel — maybe it'll be 'sleepy time down South' or maybe 'Hello Dolly'."

Armstrong was born in a brothel section of New Orleans where he learned to play the cornet at 13. He switched to the trumpet in 1924 during a New York appearance because the longer horn "looked better."

He got his big break in 1922 when he joined the band of Joe (King) Oliver, another trumpeter who played out of Chicago, who had heard about Armstrong's tremendous popularity in New Orleans. Armstrong's fame began.

He played all over the world and fans and colleagues everywhere saluted him. On his death, President Richard M. Nixon issued a statement of praise, and the United States State Department made a formal declaration of sorrow.

Armstrong was regarded in musical circles as one of the few American geniuses. He was not only a great trumpeter and performer, he was an innovator whose style influenced all successful jazz men who came after him.

His easy-going manner, which helped him become one of the first black entertainers to gain popularity with white audiences, led many young militant Negroes in recent years to ridicule him as an "Uncle Tom."

But it was the racial issue that prompted Armstrong to make rare expressions of anger. When Alabama state troopers beat Negro civil rights marchers, Armstrong said: "They would beat Jesus if he were black and marched."

He earned the affectionate nickname "Satchmo" because his large mouth and strong teeth gave him a natural advantage in playing the trumpet. Someone once commented his mouth looked like a "satchel" and he became known as "Satchelmouth" which finally was shortened to "Satchmo."

Instant housing for Beersheba families

By H. BEN-ADI
Jerusalem Post Reporter

BEERSHEBA. — An "instant" solution to the housing problems of some 300 large families and young couples in Beersheba was announced yesterday by the Negev district managers of the Ministry of Housing, Zvi Oren and David Musreri, and by Amidar's area manager, Emmanuel Hechtringer.

Some 100 new, 100-sq.m. flats, reserved until now for a different purpose, will be assigned to families of 10 or more. These families will evacuate their present flats, to make room for families with six or seven members who have lived until now in smaller homes. These smaller flats, in turn, will be given to four-member families, and their flats to poor young couples.

An inter-departmental committee of the Ministry of Housing, Ministry of Welfare, and the Municipality will next week draw up the lists of the recipient families, who will move in within a few weeks.

Rent charged by Amidar will be one pound per square metre, but the company gives 20-50 per cent reductions in cases of need. Welfare cases have their rents paid by the Ministry of Social Welfare.

Some 3,000 flats are being built in Beersheba at present, by public and private contractors. The Ministry of Housing's investment in building in the town for 1971 is to be IL45m. Amidar has provided some IL1m. for loans to Beershebans over the past four months, and another IL1m. is available.

Some 500 young couples registered with the Ministry will receive flats within the next two years, Mr. Oren said. Because of severe shortage of labour in Beersheba, he said, building homes takes twice as long as it should.

The speakers hinted that their new scheme for relieving the Beersheba housing shortage could well have been introduced sooner, had it not been for bureaucratic delays. It was also hinted that the various demonstrations up and down the country had helped to push the scheme through. The three men claimed theirs is the first large-scale scheme of its kind to be tried in the country.

Personal envoys of King Faisal and President Sadat seen in plane on way to Amman are, right, Saudi Arabian Foreign Minister Omar Sakkaf and Hassan Sabri al-Kholy, Sadat's personal envoy. (UPI photo)

Hussein-terrorist rift 'mending'

BEIRUT (Reuter). — Egyptian President Anwar Sadat's personal representative, Dr. Hassan Sabri al-Kholy, said here yesterday that the crisis between the Jordanian authorities and Palestinian terrorists was on the way to a settlement. Dr. Kholy was speaking to reporters at Beirut airport during a stop-over on his way back to Cairo from a visit to Jeddah.

He said he had gone to Saudi Arabia as President Sadat's envoy to King Faisal on a mission "basically connected with the agreement reached between President Sadat and King Faisal on the situation between the Jordanian authorities and the Palestinian commandos."

Dr. Kholy last week visited Amman with Mr. Omar al-Sakkaf, Saudi Minister of State for Foreign Affairs. They handed King Hussein a joint message from the Saudi monarch and Egyptian President on relations between the terrorists and the Jordanian government and held talks with Jordanian officials and Palestinian terrorist leaders.

In reply to a question on reported incidents between Jordanian government troops and Palestinian terrorists following his visit to Amman, Dr. Kholy said success had not been expected soon.

But both parties had shown they "realised their responsibility towards the crucial battle against Israel," he said.

Soviet envoy snubbed by Mintoff

LONDON. — According to press reports from Malta, Prime Minister Dom Mintov snubbed Soviet Ambassador Mikhail Smirnovsky, who arrived there on Tuesday in an effort to establish a Russian foothold on the island. He was told that the Premier was "too busy" to see him.

Smirnovsky came in his capacity as nonresident Ambassador to Malta. A Soviet Embassy official accompanying the Ambassador said his visit was routine and could last a few days.

On his last visit to Malta about two years ago, Mr. Smirnovsky brought a request to set up a Russian Embassy here. He said then that the matter had been mentioned in talks with representatives of the government of former Prime Minister Dr. Borg Olivier. This is Mr. Smirnovsky's first visit to the island since the election defeat last month of Dr. Olivier's Nationalist Party by Prime Minister Dom Mintoff's Labourites.

In Moscow, Tass said that threats and blackmail were being used against the new Maltese Government after its request to revise the ten-year defence treaty with Britain.

Malta had long been considered an important bridgehead in the Mediterranean by Nato, it continued. "That is precisely why as far back as 1964, Britain forced the so-called 'Defence Treaty' on Malta and set up its air and naval bases on the island," it said.

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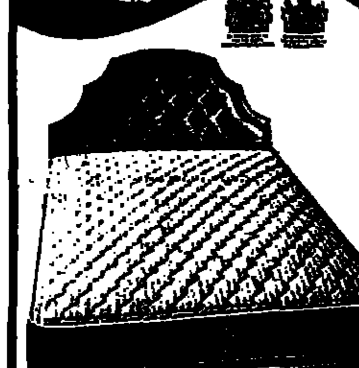

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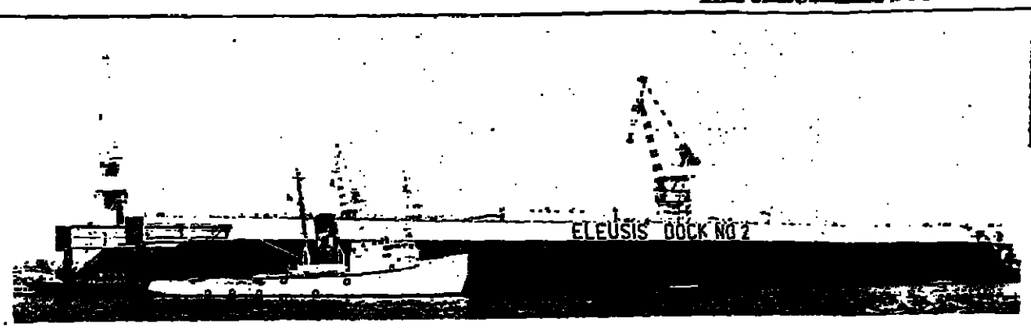
Shipyards ready for expansion

By YA'ACOV FRIEDLER
Jerusalem Post Reporter



The floating dock built by Israel Shipyards for Greece, seen towed out of Haifa on its way to Piraeus. (Tauber photo)

HAIFA. — THE big question for the men at Israel Shipyards is "What is our future?" The government-owned enterprise has already proved its technical efficiency. The floating dock recently sold to Greece for $4.4m., including a sizeable, 10 per cent profit, and the only ships it built — three 3,000-ton coasters for the Zim company five years ago — leave no doubt about that. The workers and indeed the management are eager to go ahead and "really start building big ships." But the next step is up to the Treasury.

The ships that are in prospect are "medium-sized" vessels, in the 25,000- to 50,000-ton range, which the Yard's present single building slips cannot accommodate. To construct a new and larger slipway would entail an investment of IL30m. in addition to the IL70m. already invested in the Yard.

Mr. Yisrael Libertowski, the Yard's general manager, is a cautious man who has been hesitating at the edge of the water as it were. He is now ready to take the plunge. Despite gloomy forecasts and poor financial results at the start, the Yard has in fact been sailing well in the black during the past three years, with a profit margin of just over 10 per cent, Mr. Libertowski told *The Post*.

Profit doubled

The net profit, after depreciation and interest costs, amounted to IL812,000 during the 1968-69 financial year, doubled to IL1.65 million during the next, and though the 1970-71 balance sheet has not yet been audited, it will apparently not show less. But the Yard achieved these results not from merchant ship building, but rather from ship repairs, the construction of the dock and smaller craft such as tugs, dredgers and lighters, as well as from steel constructions for land-based plants and factories. This does not include the series of fast, sophisticated nautical craft, ordered by the government at the cost of several million pounds, now under construction in one wing of the Yard. The important thing was, according to Mr. Libertowski, that the Yard has been earning profits.

He now believes that in view of the past three years of achievement, the time has come to expand into "real" shipbuilding. If the green light is given, the Yard will take on 300 extra workers immediately, to bring its staff up to 1,000. As the work develops, there will eventually be employment for several thousand workers and engineers, both directly employed and for the auxiliary industries that will build up around the Yard, such as ships' outfitters, marine electronics makers and eventually ships' engines builders. He is convinced that the Yard can and should develop into one of the major sources of profitable employment for the thousands of skilled workers who it is hoped will immigrate in the near future. The expanded Yard will take Israel along the road to self-sufficiency in the construction of ships for its growing merchant fleet. This itself is an object, for the sake of which governments of many maritime countries are willing to subsidize their yards, at between 10 to 15 per cent in Europe and more in the U.S.

Steel imported

The Yard suffers several disadvantages compared to European yards, with whom it will have to compete in price. It has to import all its steel plate, which according to Mr. Libertowski adds eight per cent to the construction costs, as a result of the freight charges. It does not enjoy the 10 per cent (average) subsidy granted to European yards and, like all yards, it will have to extend 80 per cent of building costs in eight-year, six per cent credit to the owners. As it will have to pay local banks eight per cent, the difference, over eight years, will amount to 6.4 per cent of the cost price. "We shall thus be starting with a 24 per cent handicap," Mr. Libertowski noted.

To make up, he wants the Treasury to allow him IL6.50 for the "added value" dollars in ship construction, stating that "this is very far from being excessive," if compared to the cost of the "A.V. dollar" in Israel's industry in general. According to official Bank of Israel statistics for 1967, since which time costs have gone up very considerably, the cost of the A.V. dollar in industry averaged IL7.60 and ranged from IL6.60 in the rubber and plastics industry, to IL14.90 in clothing, with our much-boosted textiles at IL10.20 and even the chemical industry with its economy of size at IL7. "Compared to this situation, I believe our claim for IL6.50 is very reasonable, and I believe that at that rate we shall be able to make good," he said.

The question might well be asked, "why start shipbuilding at that price?" and the management's answer is, "why do anything? Let's just import everything." Furthermore, they feel confident that in time they will be able to do better, will be earning millions of dollars and will give profitable employment to thousands of men in an important, basic industry.

If Mr. Sapir gives the green light, the Yard would immediately go ahead with the construction of the second building slips, which would take two years to complete. But meanwhile it would also start actual ship construction. "We would order the steel plate and start building sections, which will be ready for assembly in the new way, by the time it is ready," Mr. Libertowski explained.

No lack of customers

He is confident that if the signal "full steam ahead" is given, there will be no lack of customers. He is currently negotiating with three international companies who are interested in ordering ships at the Yard. These include a series of ten OBO (Oil-Bulk-Ore) carriers of 26,000 tons deadweight, at about $8m. each; six to eight 50,000-ton oil tankers at $12m. each, or two to four tankers of 30,000 tons. Any one of these orders would keep the Yard fully employed for the next five to seven years, and could be carried out even if a second large dock, for sale abroad, is started meanwhile. The Ministers of Transport and Labour are on record as favouring the investment needed to put the Yard into the shipbuilding business. The problem is now squarely in the hands of Mr. Sapir. Mr. Libertowski and his staff are convinced that in the long run the venture will pay off and will be a handsome boost to Israel's economy.

INCOME NOT SECRET

The Law Report — The Jerusalem Post
Edited by Doris Lankin

THURSDAY, JULY 8, 1971

In the Supreme Court sitting as Court of Civil Appeals
Before the Deputy President (Justice Sussman), Justices Witkon and and Manny.

Solel Boneh Ltd., Appellants, v. Yosef Biton, Respondent (C.A. 101/71).

Only income tax officials punishable for communicating information on income

The Supreme Court allowed an appeal against a decision of the Beeraheba District Court delivered on April 21, 1971 (in C.C. 210/68).

In an action for compensation brought by the respondent against the appellants, the latter sought to rebut his evidence on his earnings by producing the copies of wage slips received by other workers in the establishment where the respondent works. The respondent's counsel objected to this on the grounds that these other workers were not party to the case and had not given their consent to having their wage slips produced in court, referring the District Court to section 234 of the Income Tax Ordinance (New Version), which provides that: "Every person, having possession of or control over any documents, information, returns... relating to the income or items of income of any person, who at any time communicates or attempts to communicate such information or anything contained in such documents... to any person other than a person to whom he is authorized by the Minister of Finance to communicate it or otherwise than for the purposes of this Ordinance, shall be liable to imprisonment for a period of six months or to a fine of one hundred pounds."

The District Court allowed the respondent's objection to production of other workers' wage slips, on the grounds that the production of such slips would be contrary to the provisions of section 234.

The appellants received leave to appeal to the Supreme Court.

Mr. B. Neuman appeared for the appellants and Mr. I Shapira for the respondent.

Judgment

Justice Witkon, who delivered the judgment of the Supreme Court, noted, first, that the provisions of section 234 are purely punitive and that testimony is not inadmissible only because the person testifying is thereby committing an offence. Secondly, he continued, it should be pointed out that if the District Court's opinion were accepted it could lead to absurd consequences; for in our times it is difficult to envisage any document or information required in a case connected with commerce or in suits for maintenance or compensation, which do not "relate to the income or items of income of any person."

Thirdly, held Justice Witkon, the respondent himself had suggested that the other workers be brought to testify instead of producing their wage slips, thereby implying that he was of the opinion that if the workers consented to having the information about their wages disclosed, then this was permissible. However, there was nothing in section 234 to justify this opinion and, furthermore, there was nothing to show that the workers in question had not consented to having their wage slips produced in court instead of being put to the inconvenience of having to come themselves and testify. Nor had the respondent the right to raise the question of the other workers' consent, as only they themselves were entitled to do so.

Having disposed of these preliminary remarks, Justice Witkon went on to discuss the provisions of section 234 in order to decide whether they did in fact justify the conclusion which the District Court had drawn from them. It is true, he said, that section 234 speaks generally of "every person having possession of or control over any documents" and does not in contradistinction to sections 231, 232 and 235, which also deal with the duty of secrecy, refer to the functions of that person. However, he held, he did not think that section 234 could be completely severed from these other sections dealing with the duty of secrecy; and when it is read together with them it becomes clear that only income tax officials or any other officials connected with the administration and implementation of the Income Tax Ordinance would be penalized for unauthorized communication of information concerning income.

The District Court's interpretation of section 234 had, therefore, been incorrect and the appeal should be allowed.

Appeal allowed with IL500 costs. Judgment given on June 8, 1971.

Business and Finance

Leyland attacked by importers, parts producers

Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter

Leyland-Ashdod came under fire this week from vehicle importers and manufacturers of spare parts alike, when the Knesset's Economic Committee pursued its consideration of the Treasury's agreements with the firm.

The importers charged that Leyland abused its monopoly, by assembling obsolete models here whose quality was poorer than that of imported lorries. The spare parts manufacturers charged that Leyland had cut its local orders for parts down to 10 per cent of the volume in previous years.

Committee chairman Avraham Shechterman noted that government officials' statements about the cost of the dollars saved by Leyland's assembly in Israel had been contradicted all along the line by non-official testimony at the sessions. He suggested that the Committee check these financial calculations directly.

I.D.B. BUYS INTO DIMONA FIBRES

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The Industrial Development Bank has acquired 50 per cent of the holdings of Dimona Fibres (which, in addition to Dimona, also has plants in Yeruham and Beersheba). Dimona Fibres sold goods valued at IL108m. in 1970/71 (including $13.5m. in exports), as compared to IL71m. ($10m. in exports) in 1969/70.

PARDESS EARNS $33m.

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The Pardess Syndicate, which serves 4,000 citrus growers who control 120,000 dunams of groves, sold 440,000 tons of fruit for $33m. during the past season. This constitutes 30 per cent of the entire Israel crop.

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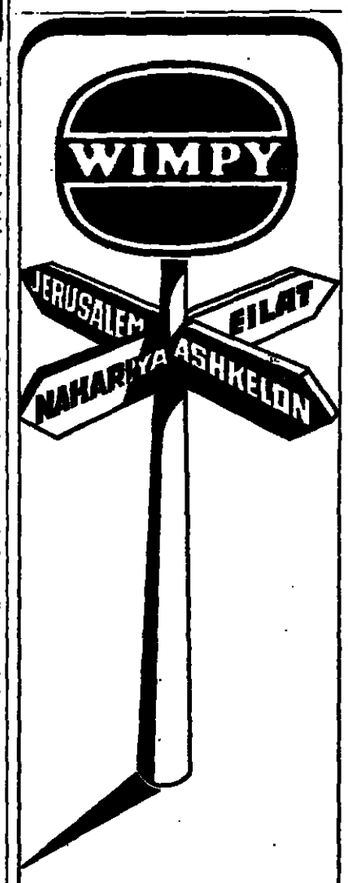

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A CALL FOR URGENT ISRAELI INITIATIVE TO BREAK THE DEADLOCK!

A country-wide conference of the Movement for Peace and Security, with the participation of over 100 Members from all parts of Israel, was held in the Ben Shemen Youth Village. The opening lecture was delivered by Prof. Yehoshua Arieli, and it dealt with the situation created by the deadlock in the Jarring peace talks and in the efforts to open the Suez Canal. Among the participants was Sgan-Aluf (Res.) Eli Feingersh, who discussed the military implications of the contest between the Big Powers in the area. After a lively debate, in which more than 20 persons took part, the conference was concluded with the following resolution:
The present deadlock, which is partly due to Israel's refusal to agree to Dr. Jarring's proposal about withdrawing to the international border with Egypt, has brought the peace talks to a stop; it is liable to make the Arab stands more intransigent, to cause the isolation of Israel on the international scene, and entails the danger of a renewal of war or the imposition of a settlement by the Big Powers. In view of the grave situation, therefore, the Movement for Peace and Security calls on the Government to take the following steps in order to break the deadlock and bring a resumption of the Jarring peace talks:
(a) An explicit statement on the part of Israel that the only condition for opening the Canal is adequate guarantees that Egypt would not cross the Canal with massive military forces.
(b) Agreement to the Jarring proposal, with Israel's declared readiness to negotiate a peace with Egypt on the basis of withdrawal to the international border, coupled with the demilitarisation of Sinai and the provision of concrete guarantees ensuring free sailing in Egypt and the Suez Canal.
The Movement considers that, while it is possible within the negotiations to press for concrete guarantees ensuring Israel's sovereignty and security, it is fit and proper that Israel should accept the Jarring plan as a reasonable and realistic basis for a peace agreement with Egypt.
(c) The Movement calls on the Government to preserve Israel's independence and to oppose pressures tending to involve her in the global military contest of the Big Powers in the area.
July 4, 1971.

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CONSIDERABLE REDUCTION IN THE PRICES OF CHICKEN AND TURKEY

The wholesale prices of chicken meat have been reduced this month by 40 agorot per kilogramme, and the wholesale prices of turkey meat have been reduced by 50 agorot per kilogramme, as compared with last month's prices.

This means in practice that the retail buyer should get a reduction of about 55 agorot per kilogramme on slaughtered and plucked chicken, and a reduction of about 85 agorot per kilogramme on the various cuts of turkey (breast and dark meat).

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THE POULTRY BOARD

Meyer Weisgal, seen above with the Premier, tells of the world they grew up in.

GOLDA FACED THE ISSUES

THOUGH young people today (as have all people in ages) succumbed to the temptation of thinking that *their* revolt a unique one, the world in which Golda Meir — and I — grew up faced us with challenges which were at least as great as those faced by any youth of any age. I know something about the conflicts and challenges that Golda faced — and met head-on. Essentially, we shared the same intellectual, political, moral, and even physical climate. I started out in Kiev, Golda in Yehupetz. By the time we were in our twenties, as far as the 20th century, the Western world was in as much turmoil as it is today. And of course we thought that our problems were unique.

Let me briefly enumerate some of them:

1) By the 1920s, we had just survived a cataclysmic world war, the war that was to end all wars — and we were firmly committed to the proposition that this would never happen again.

2) We were — each in our own way, of course — totally dedicated to the ideal of bringing a brave new world into existence, including our own world, the Jewish world. For us, this new world centred itself primarily on Zionism; in Golda's case a hyphenated, though certainly not diluted, Zionism; Socialist-Zionism.

3) We were determined that the underprivileged of the world — in particular the Jewish people — would at last gain their rightful place. We were inspired and encouraged by what we thought were messianic rumblings: The Balfour Declaration; The beginnings of the Jewish National Home; The Mandate. The Messiah was on the way.

4) There were other pressing problems, and none was alien to us. We were, for instance — and remember, I am speaking of those of us who formed a vocal minority, not the silent majority — deeply concerned with the rights and privileges of women. We talked about *universal suffrage* though the phrase "Women's Lib" had not yet been invented.

5) We were also profoundly concerned with problems that had to do with education and human personality. This was the era when Freud, Jung and Adler forced their way into our consciousness, and sociology became a matter of serious study.

6) Our grandchildren — and I suppose Golda's are not an exception — talk a great deal about the twin problems of violence and drugs. But when *we* were young, things were not so different. In the America of the 'twenties the maintenance of law and order was also a major problem. It took various forms and was symbolized by the imposition of prohibition in the that depriving people of the benefits of a drink would restore sanity. It didn't.

For Zionism

But of course, the primary battle was *against* assimilation — and *for* Zionism.

In short, things were in a mess and most of us were extremely confused.

But then, as now, Golda — and I believe this is the source of her strength — faced the issues. What's more, she created a list of priorities. She committed herself personally to doing something about the problems that seemed to her to be most important. She became involved. She didn't just *talk* about the equality of women; she lived it. She didn't just *talk* socialism; she helped to mould one of the most impressive trade unions that ever came into existence. She didn't just moan about the plight of the world; she entered political life. She didn't spend time theorizing about the Jewish problem; she came to Palestine and found a place for herself there. She didn't simply analyse and discuss the future of collective settlements for what they represented; she herself *became* a member of a kibbutz. In her whole life, she never ran away from anything — not from the burdens of womanhood, not from responsibility, not from hard work.

From an address by Meyer Weisgal, Chancellor of the Weizmann Institute at the ceremony conferring an Honorary Fellowship of the Institute on the Prime Minister in Rehovot yesterday.

DAZZLING FOLK DANCING

By JOAN B. CASS

THE Bayanihan Philippine Dance Company bombards and dazzles the eye and the ear with its variety of forms. Choreographer Lucrecia Reyes Urtula has taken full advantage of the diversified cultural make-up of the Philippines, shaping the distinctive material of the Spanish, the Moslem, the Oriental and the primitive tribesman with great theatrical know-how.

Costumed beautifully — at times in muted colors and simple lines; at times in flashing lengths of splendid fabric — the charming performers are accompanied by ancient wailing woodwinds, pulsing drums and harsh cries; or by rippling stringed instruments; or lilting folk melodies.

Further scenic variety comes with the use of a multitude of props: undulating fans, twirling umbrellas, slashing swords, billowing scarves; bowls or lit candles balanced on bobbing heads; wooden cups worn on chest and back which the dancers beat in playful rhythms as they move.

Most important to the repertoire are the long bamboo poles, struck together sharply on the stage floor, while dancers caper among them. The climax to both halves of the programme is built on the duel between skilfully evasive tapping feet and the snapping poles that threaten to crush them, should the slightest misstep find them in the wrong place on the closing beat.

Splendour, spectacle

Amidst all the splendour and spectacle, the dancing techniques and patterns are fairly simple. In the two tribal numbers, "Dances of the Mountain Province" and "Tagahili," the boys have leaping, shaking, kneeling motions, and a low wide stance in battle. The girls stick to quiet processionals and unsophisticated turns. The choreography proceeds in lines of uniform motion but occasionally a *soloist bursts into the centre*. Development is achieved through tempo changes, abrupt pauses and plot figures like witches and warriors.

"Ecos de La Ermita" is the most satisfying dance composition. To a lovely, nostalgic score — music that echoes across a lake on a summer evening — the dancers create a gracious party atmosphere with a suite of Spanish ballroom dances, like the Promenada, which Philippine children enjoy doing in school.

"Mindanao Tapestry" features a girl with exaggerated arched Spanish carriage, and gently rolling hips in the Arabic manner, sinuously gesturing with the pointed fingers of the ceremonious Oriental.

The Bayanihan Company is folk entertainment at its best.

Readers' letters

Eban's statement clarified

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — The Holy Synod of the Greek Orthodox Patriarchate carefully studied in *"The Jerusalem Post"* of July 1 the statement on Jerusalem which the Minister of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Abba Eban, made in the Knesset on Wednesday, June 30, 1971.

The Holy Synod has noted with appreciation the interest which the State of Israel is displaying towards all the Christian Communities.

However, we feel that it is our duty, in order to avoid any unnecessary misinterpretations of the statement of Mr. Eban, to clarify certain points of the said statement which seem important to us and which refer to this Patriarchate.

Immediately after the War of 1967, the Greek Orthodox Patriarchate received a lump sum for the damages which occurred to the property of the Patriarchate during the war in the Jerusalem area only. But this is the only payment that this Patriarchate has ever received from the State of Israel or any other Israeli institution.

The Holy Synod read that the Municipality has provided the Greek Orthodox Patriarchate with financial and technical aid. This is totally inaccurate. Neither are we aware of the fact that a Greek church, near the walls of the Old City, which stood unfinished for many years, is now being completed because of Municipality aid. Repair and restoration work to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre (on our own and with the other Christian communities) and the Greek Monastery of the Holy Cross has been taking place for many years; but it is the Greek Government who have undertaken the expenses of the repair and restoration work and they have been doing so with grants and technical assistance for the last 11 years.

The Greek Orthodox Patriarchate have never asked the Municipality to grant us any help and we have never received any; though it is to be acknowledged that the Mayor of Jerusalem, Mr. Teddy Kollek, in his good disposition has expressed, on several occasions, his wish to offer technical assistance to the Patriarchate, whenever such a need arises.

The Holy Synod should not fail to point out that we have also been pleasantly surprised by the official statement, which His Excellency was so kind to make in connection with the exemptions from taxation and of customs duties enjoyed by the Patriarchate.

We do not wish to refer to past practices, but we are convinced that the official statement of the Minister of Foreign Affairs concerning the taxation and customs exemptions will be thoroughly applied in future by the competent Israeli authorities.

The Greek Orthodox Patriarchate.
Jerusalem, July 7.

CONFERENCE ON THE JERUSALEM BIBLICAL PROPHECY

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — I wish to thank you and your staff for the coverage accorded to the recently-concluded Jerusalem Conference on Biblical Prophecy.

I first started subscribing for your overseas edition shortly after my very first trip to Israel, back in 1969. The information in your columns is often a useful counterpoise to what is being published in the American press or television. Without the sober analysis you characteristically give to news from your part of the world, it would be difficult to understand the true state of affairs there.

The success of the Jerusalem Conference on Biblical Prophecy in bringing Christians to Israel has encouraged us to develop plans for other significant conventions in Israel, which will be announced soon.

GAYLORD BRILEY
Conference Coordinator,
The Jerusalem Conference on Biblical Prophecy
Washington, D.C., July 2.

HAIFA'S PROVINCIALISM

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — Mr. Reuben Rose's letter (June 27) about Haifa's cultural deprivations once more had the kind of stereotyped answer from the I.P.O.'s secretary that can only be regarded as an utterly unconvincing excuse. It is obviously business interests and not faithful service which dictate the I.P.O.'s decision to force music lovers to make a pilgrimage of about five hours (besides travel expenses) to hear an artist, and then return home in the early morning hours.

May I remind the management that there exists a very fine hall in Yagur which served the I.P.O more than once in recent years. Certainly a performance with Fischer-Dieskau would have been sold out, saving time and money for all those who live in and near Haifa.

But Haifa's problem is surely not one of concerts only. Haifaites have in past years regretfully witnessed the growing provincialism of their beautiful town: it is attractive neither to its citizens nor its guests after sunset. One has apparently to submit to the fact that there is no personality or public body ready to improve this sad situation.

WALTER GOLDMANN
Kiryat Yam, June 29.

HEDVA AND SHLOMIK

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — I was unpleasantly surprised by the photographs of Hedva and Shlomik on the cover of your Week-End Magazine of June 25, as well as by your article about them. They have spoiled so many of my Friday nights, as well as my Monday nights, with their terrible acting in this miserable play. Did they really need one director and two producers to deliver this to us?

M. B. DESSAUR
Bat Yam, June 26.

BRIDGE CALENDAR

National: Finals of Pairs Championship, July 9, 10 at Sharon Hotel, Herzliya, and July 23, 24. Semi-finals of Four, National League: August 14, September 11, and September 24, 25.

Results.

National: Pairs Championship, qualifiers for the finals after three rounds: 1. Stampf-Schwartz 326 (T A). 2/3. Duchovny-Kapusta 274 (T A), Aziel-Meshulam (276) (Savyon), 4. Pachter-Moscovitz 272 (T A). 5. Lukacs-Seligman 266 (T A), 6. Frydrich-Schaufel 258 (T A) 7. Eisenberg-Erdenbaum 253 (T A). 8. Bennahum-Josman 249 (T A). 9. Rand-Katz 244 (T A), 10. Amit-Amit 243 (Haifa), 11. Gerschman-Amir 242 (Haifa), 12. Balaila-Steinberger 235 (Haifa).

Womens Pair Championship: Finals: 1. Mrs. Boehl-Mrs. Brechner (T A) 2. Mrs. Wiener-Mrs. Freidlander, (T A), 3. Mrs. Hope-Mrs. Heinebach, (Herzliya — TA). 4. Mrs. Bergman-Mrs. Lifster (Haifa), 5. Mrs. Cohen-Dr. Marcovitz (HaMa), 6. Mrs. Zusman-Mrs. Adiman (T A). These qualifiers and four additional pairs to be selected, will play in a "trials" to select the women's team.

Haifa: June 24, Pairs, nine tables: N-S: 1. Balaila-Rosenstock, E-W: 1. Mrs. Schechtmann-Mrs. Galiani. June 28, Pairs, 18 Tables: N-S: 1. Dr. Markovitz-Mrs. Cohen, 2. Libster-Nisser. E-W: 1. Yossepovitch-Robinson, 2. Margalith-Rosenfeld.

Jerusalem: June 23, Pairs, 13 Tables: N-S: 1. Ben-Zeev-Yaffe, 2. Grossberg-Tihany. E-W: 1. Aden-Amir, 2. Weinbach-Schlessinger.

Savyon: June 27, Pairs, 21 Tables: NS: 1. Moscona-Lever, 2. Mrs. Katz-Mrs. Buchman, 3. Mrs. Lever-Mrs. Gur. E-W: 1. Mrs. Mintz-Levit, 2. Meltzer-Meltzer, 3. Mrs. Kraus-M. Katz.

Tel Aviv: Final results of the Sorger Cup after five rounds, Pairs, 17 Tables: 1. Frischoff-Seligman, 2. Rand-Katz, 3. Mrs. Agiman-Mrs. Rosenthal. June 23, Pairs, 12 Tables: N-S: 1. Mrs. Guiman-Shaltiel, 2. Moses-Brazn. E-W: 1. Golik-Golik, 2. Mrs. Stampf-Mrs. Wiener. June 24, Second round of the United Jerusalem tournament. Pairs, 16 Tables: N-S: 1. Fridman-Kranz Jr., 2. Press-Wagner. E-W: 1. Segal-Baron, 2. Erstein-Kalir. June 30, First of four rounds, Summer Tournament, 21 Tables: N-S: 1. Stampf-Schwartz 2. Migdal-Dassa. E-W: 1. Moscovitz-Falkovitz, 2. Fridman-Israeli.

Weekly Duplicate Games, 9 p.m.

Beersheba — Monday, Thursday: Beit Ya'acov.
Haifa — Monday, Thursday: Beit Hagefen.
Jerusalem — Wednesday: Sport Club.
Netanya — Monday: Palace Hotel; Thursday: Wizo Hall.
Pardes Hana — Sunday: Wizo Hall.
Rehovot — Thursday: Masonic Hall.
Savyon — Sunday: Savyon Club.
Tel Aviv — Wednesday, Thursday: Dukes Club, Carlebach 23.

Sight restored in composite eye

MOSCOW (Reuter). — A Russian surgeon has succeeded in making one complete working eye in a previously blind man by grafting together the good portions of his two damaged eyes, "Pravda" said Tuesday.

The patient was blinded by a chemical in an accident three years ago, destroying the front chambers of both eyes, the newspaper said. The surgeon, Dr. Mikhail Krasnov, joined the healthy rear sections of both eyes then cut an aperture — a kind of new pupil — in the eye. Five days later the patient had perfect sight in the new eye, "Pravda" added.

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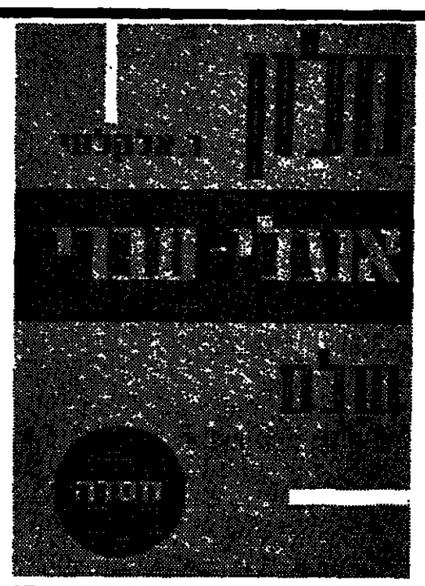

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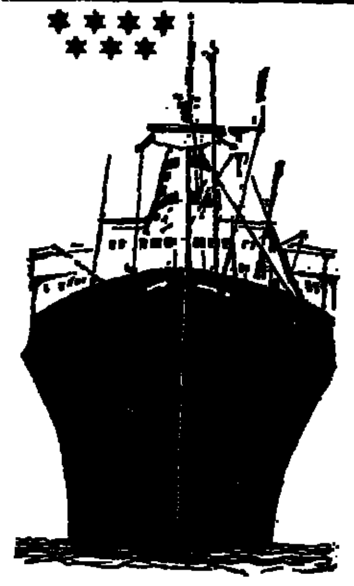
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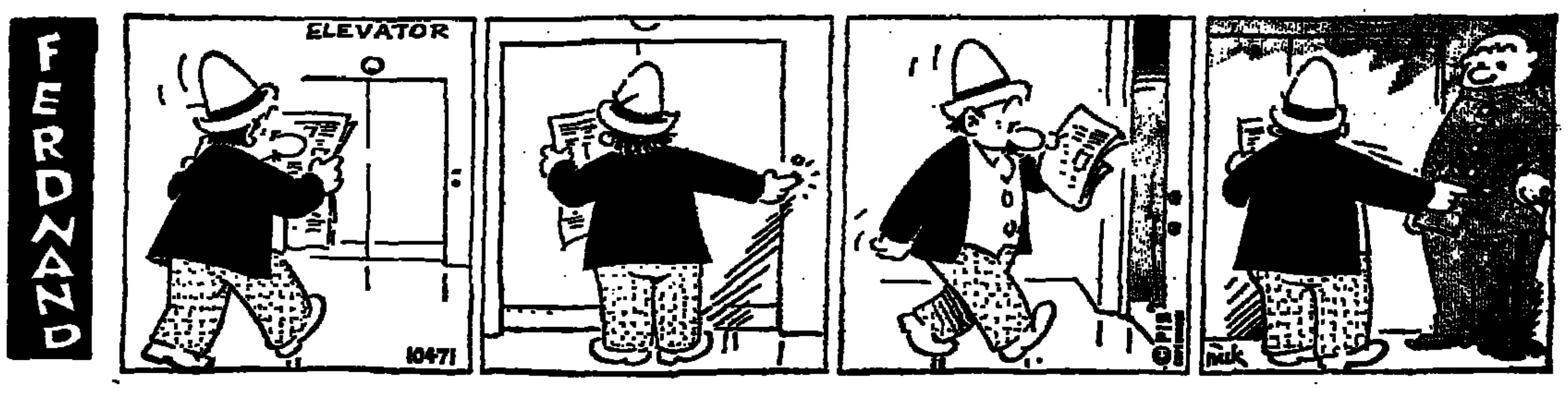

YESTERDAY'S PRESS

Scheel's visit

Ha'aretz (non-party) discusses the visit of the West German Foreign Minister: "However close our relations with Germany become, they will have no future unless the Germans recognise clearly that an historical burden will always weigh on them ... That is why Israel is shocked at the manner in which the Federal German Republic saw fit to be led along by French straagens on the Middle East conflict."

Hatzofe (National Religious) writes: "The slow but steady improvement in relations between the two countries cannot be attributed solely to 'realpolitik' ... We hope that Mr. Scheel does not intend diverting Bonn from the policy which emerged when diplomatic relations with Jerusalem were established."

Al Hamishmar (Mapam) takes the view that in seeking to re-establish relations with the Arab world, the German Government should "refrain from any step which might endanger Israel's security" and that in her dealings with her Common Market partner, France, she should not "prefer opportunist considerations and should bear in mind in every forum the security of the Jewish State."

She'arim (Poalei Agudat Yisrael) welcomes the proposed visit of U.S. Secretary of State Joseph Sisco, but adds; "It must be clear to the U.S. that Israel has gone towards the Rogers plan far beyond what might have been expected, and that she cannot make concessions on matters vital to her security even for friends."

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1.58 p.m. Opening. 2.10 Mother and Child. 3.05 "Cycles of Compositions" — Bach: The Art of Fugue, Contrapunctus No. 16-17 (Lionel Rogg — Organ); Dvorak: Quartet in D-minor op. 34 (The Janacek Quartet); Falla: "Fantasia Baetica" (Malinee Peris — Piano). 4.04 "Sounds of a new Era" — The Donaueschingen Music Days (Concert on 18.10.71) Carlos Roque Alsina: "Ueberwindung" for 4 Soloists and Orchestra" (The Composer — Piano: Jean Pierre Drouet — Percussion: Vinko Globokar — Trombone: Michel Portal — Clarinet and the SWF Symphony Orchestra conducted by Ernest Bour). 4.35 Literature for High Schools. 4.55 Book Review. 5.04 Programme Announcements. 5.05 The Israel Broadcasting Symphony Orchestra recorded... Moussorgsky-Markevitch: Songs (Zimra Ornatt — Soprano; Conductor: Shalom Ronly-Riklis); Rachmaninov: Symphony No. 3 (Conductor: Mendi Rodan). 6.12 On People and Numbers. 6.25 "Waves of Sound" — a musical magazine produced by Arie Sachs and Edi Halpern. 6.55 For the Farmer. 7.10 "This Day" — People and Events in the News. 7.30 "A Bit of Music." 7.50 Bible Reading: Tehilim, chaps. 137 and 138. 8.09 Programme Announcements 8.10 This Week at the Knesset. 8.45 The New Israel String Quartet with the Pianist Ilse von Alpenheim-Dorati playing works by Brahms — Quartet No. 3 in E-flat major op. 67; Quintet in F-minor op. 34. 10.06 Family Magazine. 11.05 "Nocturno" — Schubert (repeat). 12.05 Close Down.

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9.05 Hebrew Songs. 10.04 "Look for Me" — a musical game. 11.05 "I am yours and you are mine." 12.05 Night Music. 1.05 Close Down.

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407, 443 and 292 M.

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Arabic Programme: 5.58-7.00 a.m., 7.30-9.00 a.m., 10.58 a.m.-1.30 p.m.; 2.30-8.30 p.m. and 9.00 p.m.-12.15 a.m.

ENGLISH PROGRAMME
(407, 292, 443, 13 M.;
737, 1025, 677, 7159 kHz.)

7.00 p.m. News and Israel Press Review. 1.30 p.m. Jerusalem Calling — News and Sound Pictures of Life in Israel. 8.30 Newsdesk — News and Newsreel.

English broadcasts from Jerusalem to Europe and United Kingdom:
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2115 — 2130 GMT
33.3 M., 9009 kHz
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33.3 M., 9009 kHz

IMMIGRANTS' HOUR

7.00 p.m. News in Easy Hebrew; Weekly Newsreel: Hebrew Lesson. 7.30 Yiddish. 8.00 Ladino. 8.15 Mugrabi. 8.30 Rumanian. 8.45 Russian. 9.00 Close Down.

ARMY PROGRAMME
216, 225 and 185 M.

11.00 a.m. Requests. 11.15 From the Hebrew Hit Parade. 11.30 On Generals. 11.35 Requests (cont.). 12.00 News. 12.05 Requests (cont.). 12.30 The Practical Joke Corner. 12.35 Requests (cont.). 1.00 News. 1.05 Soloist and Troupe. 1.30 Soldiers Ask. 1.35 Soloist and Troupe (cont.). 1.55 Announcements for Soldiers. 2.00 News. 2.05 Personal Announcements. 2.10 Close Down.

2.57 p.m. Opening. 3.00 News. 3.05 "Please Call" "with Edna Shavit. 4.00 News. 4.05 "Please Call" (cont.). 4.55 Law Report — ed. by Nathan Donewitz. 5.00 News. 5.05 Bow and Arrow. 5.40 Zahal's Diary. 6.00 News. 6.05 Tonight — Studio No. 2. 7.00 News. 7.10 From him to you with Dori Ben-Zeev. 8.00 News. 8.10 What's new? with Gadi Lireh and Avner Rosenblum. 9.00 News. 9.05 A team musical Quiz. 10.00 News. 10.05 Tonight — with Yosef Lapid. 11.00 News. 11.05 Tonight (cont.). 12.00 News. 12.50 a.m. Close Down.

VOICE OF AMERICA
238 M. (Medium Wave)

5.00 a.m. The Breakfast Show (News, Music, Topical Reports and Features). 9.00 News and Topical Reports 4.00 News in Special English. 4.15 Special English Feature. 4.30 The NOW Sound. 5.00 Report to South Asia. 6.00 News in Special English. 6.15 Special English Feature. 11.00 Report to the Middle East, Africa, Europe. 12.00 News in Special English. 12.15 Special English Feature. 12.30 Music U.S.A. (Popular). 1.00 News and Topical Reports. 1.15 Music U.S.A. (Jazz). 2.00 Close Down.

INSTRUCTIONAL TELEVISION PROGRAMME

4.30 English 9 — The Last Leaf. 4.57 Geometry 9. 5.15 Journey to the Sea (Film). 5.45 A Cheval et en Bateau.

ISRAEL TELEVISION SERVICE
Children's Programme (Hebrew).

6.00 p.m. "Headlines and Margins." Arabic Programme: 6.30 p.m. "Hollywood and the Stars." 6.55 Circus. 7.00 News. 7.15 Projector.

Hebrew Programme: 7.30 p.m. The Black Tulip (part 3). 8.00 Mabat. 8.20 "From Venus to Marilyn Monroe." 8.50 The Entertainment Broadcasting Service: "Love American Style." 9.40 Sport: The Match of the Week. 10.25 News.

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Rabbi Blau not present

Egged-Orthodox truce on Sabbath buses

By DAVID LENNON
Jerusalem Post Economic Reporter

The Egged Central Bus Station in Jerusalem will not be opened to buses before the end of the Sabbath, the bus cooperative promised at a meeting yesterday with three leading rabbis, under the auspices of the Jerusalem police chief, Sgan-Nitzav Daniel Bareli.

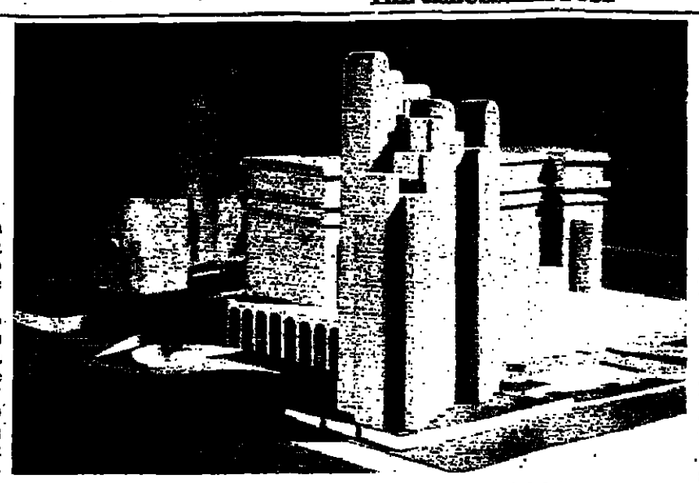
In return for this undertaking, the rabbis — Menahem Porush, Shear-Yashuv Cohen and Ya'acov Katzenelson — promised that there would be no more demonstrations against the company's buses. However, the major organizer and inciter of the demonstrations and violence against Egged buses, Rabbi Amram Blau, was not present at the meeting, nor were any representatives of his extreme Orthodox Neturei Karta group.

Announcing this settlement at a press conference in Jerusalem yesterday, Egged spokesman Mordechai Shiftman stated that the agreement is concerned only with the operation of the Central Bus Station. The inter-city buses from Tel Aviv to Jerusalem will leave Tel Aviv at 3.30 p.m. this Saturday, as they have in the past. The only difference will be that from this Saturday on the early buses will not enter the bus station. Mr. Shiftman evaded revealing just exactly where the bus will deposit its passengers in Jerusalem, but it was apparent that the intention is to bring them into the city and not leave them outside the city limits.

"We made certain concessions to the religious group because it is not our job to get involved in a war between the religious and the secular sectors of the population," Mr. Shiftman continued. "For 10 years prior to 1970 inter-city buses were always operated in and out of Jerusalem from 5 p.m. on Saturdays. After some demonstrations in the summer of 1970 the Minister of Transport asked us not to operate buses before the end of the Sabbath and we complied with this request."

At the same time, he admitted that tourist buses — which are not included either in the new or in the former agreement — were using the bus station on Saturday and that the station was open on Shabbat even though no urban bus services were started before the end of the Sabbath. This practice will now be ended, Mr. Shiftman promised.

The rabbis for their part told Egged that in return for this concession, they will appeal to their followers to cease the demonstrations. If demonstrations do continue, Egged will have to reconsider the whole issue again, the spokesman concluded.



Model of the planned extension to the King David Hotel in Jerusalem, with the Y.M.C.A. across the way. (David Harris)

DELAY SEEN IN KING DAVID ANNEX

By DAVID LENNON
Jerusalem Post Economic Reporter

The Ministry of Health's failure to vacate 10 rooms in the south annex of Jerusalem's King David Hotel may cause a hold-up in the planned IL20m. extension project at the city's most famous hotel which is due to get under way in September.

The King David owners, Dan Hotels Ltd., are planning to build a tower extension to the hotel, with 200 rooms. The tower will be constructed on the site currently occupied by the hotel's south annex which is due to be demolished to make way for the new structure.

When the expansion plan crystallized, the owners asked the tenants of the annex to vacate the premises. The Hebrew University agreed to leave its rooms, but the other tenant, the Ministry of Health, has refused. The Central Government Accommodation Committee, which is responsible for finding rooms for Government offices, recently informed the owners that the Health Ministry cannot vacate the premises unless alternate accommodation is found, and apparently at present no other offices are available.

Burg cites 'natural purification' of 'unstoppable' flow of sewage

By ASHER WALLFISH, Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter.

There is no way at present to stop the flow of Jerusalem sewage down Nahal Sorek, Interior Minister Dr. Yosef Burg told the Knesset yesterday. In a reply to a motion for the agenda by Mr. Daniel Levi (N.R.P.) about the health hazards caused by Jerusalem sewage to Gan Raveh and Mateh Yehuda, Dr. Burg said that the Jerusalem Municipality was preparing a master plan for sewage disposal.

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Until the master plan comes into effect, he said, the authorities involved are taking action to prevent *health hazards. Tests showed* that the sewage attained quite a considerable state of "natural purification," even before it reached the Beit Shemesh area. At any rate, he said, chlorination plants had been set up to disinfect the Jerusalem sewage, and the moment the regular lab tests produced specific indications, these plants would be put into full operation.

However, Dr. Burg said, an inter-departmental subcommittee had been specially formed to study the nuisances along Nahal Sorek and Nahal Rubin, "*apparently caused*" by the flow of Jerusalem sewage.

Mr. Levi had charged that not a week went by without some new complaint being raised about nuisances and health hazards due to sewage.

The Jerusalem sewage was causing suffering to some 80,000 people, he said. The nuisance was brought to public attention seven years ago, but hardly anything has been done.

All over the country, similar problems were being handled in a patchwork way, Mr. Levi observed. The *only solution was for a special* State authority to be set up.

Dr. Burg explained, in his reply to another motion by Mr. Gideon Hausner (I.L.P.) about the implementation of the Kanowitz Law against air pollution and noise, that a whole "host of technical problems" *had to be overcome before the* regulations could be gazetted.

A way was being worked out to prevent diesel vehicles from emitting thick, noxious fumes — after the drivers had managed to evade control for years, Dr. Burg revealed. A regulations was being drafted to close the fuel valve on the motor with lead seals, so that the drivers whose vehicles belched black smoke on the highway could not "fix" the valve when they took a Hartridge smoke test in the laboratory.

He regarded the lack of progress in gazetting regulations about disturbances due to other odours, since these were hard to measure. However, he said, anti-air-pollution regulations were being worked out, based on definitions of the permissible concentrations of various materials in the air.

Mr. Hausner had complained that few of this country's laws had been passed so enthusiastically, yet implemented with so many shortcomings. He said that the Ministers who issued the Kanowitz regulations on noise nuisances, could not have been serious. People who listen to the Israeli Radio, which runs programmes till 1 a.m., commit an offence because the regulations prohibit a radio playing in dwellings after 11 p.m., he noted.

Mr. Hausner voiced special concern about the increase of noxious substances in the air, and said that during 1970 every single Israeli inhaled 170 kilogrammes of harmful gases. While the law was not being implemented, he warned, the danger was rapidly growing. In 1960, 178,000 tons of poisonous gases poured into Israel's air; in 1970 — 426,000 tons.

This motion was also moved to the Interior Committee.

Dr. Burg later presented an amendment to the Local Authorities Laws, which was moved to Committee on the first reading, and which would oblige merchants to clean the pavements in front of their businesses. *The mayors of Tel Aviv and Jerusa*lem had initiated the idea, he said, noting the experience with shopkeepers who swept the rubbish out of their shops onto the pavement, and just left it there.

Wreckers charged with negligence in wall collapse

HAIFA. — Two wrecking contractors were released on IL800 bond in Magistrate's Court here yesterday, after being arraigned on charges of negligence in the collapse of a wall into the Gadel Hadar swimming pool last week.

The contractors, Avraham Aronson, 31, and Michael Marx, 33, were engaged in demolition of the Tamar Cinema, adjacent to the pool. One wall of the cinema building fell into the pool, slightly injuring three persons.

Mr. Aronson told reporters that the affair has been "exaggerated out of all proportion." Meanwhile it is learned that wrecking work has been stopped. The pool is now closed for repairs. *(Itim)*

MEROZ PROMOTED IN FOREIGN MINISTRY

Mr. Yohanan Meroz has been appointed an Assistant Director-General of the Foreign Ministry. He will be in charge of European affairs.

Until now, Mr. Meroz was Director of European Division (1), having previously served as a ministers at the Israel embassy in Paris.

Mystery bullet hits boy, 13

Police yesterday were seeking the person or persons who fired a bullet which struck a 13-year-old Upper Motza boy in the leg.

Oren Silberstein was standing outside his parents' house in Upper Motza, near Jerusalem, yesterday, when the bullet struck him. He was rushed to Sha'are Zedek Hospital in the Capital, where his condition was reported satisfactory.

Police searchers found 16 spent 9-mm. cartridges about 400 metres from the house, and an improvised target between there and the Silberstein house. It is believed that Oded was hit by a stray bullet from an unauthorized shooting range. *(Itim)*

Israel ports to be modernized

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Ports Authority is expecting a massive increase in the traffic of cargoes through Israeli ports in the coming years. By 1976-77, it is expected, 11m. tons per year will flow through the ports, compared with 8m. tons last year, according to the Authority's bulletin published this week.

To cope with this increase, the Authority is planning to modernize the ports, investing IL250m. in the next five years. Most of the money will go towards adjusting port facilities to the "containerization era."

Haifa and Ashdod Ports will be equipped with new cranes, some of which will have a lifting capacity of 25 tons.

Grenade injures three in Gaza town

Jerusalem Post Reporter

GAZA. — A local man was severely hurt, and an Israeli soldier and a local boy slightly injured, when a handgrenade was thrown at an Army patrol in Jebeliye yesterday *morning*. The grenade was lobbed over a wall; the perpetrator of the incident escaped.

Diplomat Hotel will refund money to unhappy tourists

Jerusalem Post Economic Reporter

Tourists who stayed at the Diplomat Hotel in Jerusalem and were not satisfied with the hotel will be entitled to a partial refund of their money, according to an agreement which is due to be signed today between the Ministry of Tourism and Mr. Haim Schiff, the owner of the hotel.

At the same time the agreement permits the hotel to continue to charge the prices of a five-star hotel for another three months. This latter clause is dependent upon the hotel fulfilling certain conditions, the most important of which is that no more rooms will be opened without the prior approval of the Tourism Ministry.

This is the settlement which was reached following Mr. Schiff's appeal against the decision of the Ministry to reduce the hotel's grade by one star. The Ministry took that action following publication in *The Jerusalem Post* of numerous complaints by tourists who had stayed there about the poor conditions in the hotel, which is still under construction.

The compromise agreement was worked out at an appeals hearing which was heard by a special committee on Tuesday. Mr. Schiff is expected to sign the agreement today after having a day in which to consider the terms.

Two arrested in Gaza with hashish

Jerusalem Post Reporter

GAZA. — Gaza police on Tuesday arrested a local man in whose yard a kilogram of hashish was discovered.

Another Gazan was picked up at the Nahal Oz checkpoint with five grammes of the drug in his possession. It is believed that the small quantity was intended as a sample of larger amounts he hoped to sell across the Green Line.

Hillel raps attack on rabbi, 'encouragement' of violence

Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter

Police Minister Shlomo Hillel yesterday voiced his unqualified condemnation of the "vile and disgraceful assault by five hooligans" on Rabbi Avraham Atiya on the night of June 28 in Jerusalem, and promised that the police would not relax efforts to track down the culprits, however long it might take.

He used the opportunity of a reply on a motion for the agenda, submitted by Rabbi Menahem Porush (Agudat Yisrael), to score a series of disturbances provoked by Orthodox Jerusalemites over the past week.

"Violence breeds violence. The Rabbi cited a series of events, but he quoted very selectively, and that way we cannot make a honest accounting for ourselves," the Police Minister said. "*Throwing stones at* cars, injuring soldiers and passers-by, are expressions of violence too."

Mr. Hillel made it clear that he was in no way justifying the criminal act of shearing Rabbi Atiya's beard. "But we have to recognize the reality of this situation: that when somebody expresses his opinion or his annoyance violently, it breeds an atmosphere of violence. What's been happening in Jerusalem recently is the result of violence fostered, tolerated, and virtually encouraged," Mr. Hillel said.

NO LEAD TO GO ON

As to the assault on Rabbi Atiya, he explained, the objective problem was that the victim could not identify his attackers, and so the police had absolutely no lead to go on. They had detained some persons for questioning and later released them.

But he assured the Knesset that he personally regarded the assault with no less severity than a murder or a rape. He hoped that somebody eventually would be moved to provide the police with some information.

The Rabbi recounted a series of incidents in Jerusalem's Orthodox quarters, citing the details as printed in the press. He claimed that the Police intervened tardily in one case after heads of *yeshivot* had summoned journalists to the scene.

Had these events taken place in the Soviet Union, he declared, the Knesset would have called an extraordinary session. The attacks were reminiscent of the worst anti-Semitic outrages in a former time.

Rabbi Porush stressed that in general the Police had not been to blame for the breakdown in order, and went out of his way to praise Police Chief Daniel Bareli. The fault, he said, lay in the prevailing atmosphere, in which the religious precepts of Jewry had been discarded.

Plan to seek new extension for Chief Rabbis

Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter

Religious Affairs Minister Zerah Warhaftig plans to seek a 12-month extension of the terms of the two Chief Rabbis and the Chief Rabbinate Council. The current terms, which were extended for four months in a law rushed through the House before the Pessah recess, expire on July 3.

Dr. Warhaftig revealed his plans to seek Cabinet approval of the second stop-gap extension in replying to a question in his National Religious Party faction late on Monday night

He explained that for the past few months the Cabinet had before it a Chief Rabbinate Elections draft law, which would enable elections for the Chief Rabbis and the Council on a regular basis.

The Committee of Cabinet Ministers on Legislation is understood to have completed its deliberations on Dr. Warhaftig's draft law. But final Cabinet approval was delayed by Defence Minister Moshe Dayan's last-minute proposal to have one Chief Rabbi, instead of two. Some N.R.P. members have also accused Premier Golda Meir of delaying the approval still further. Her aim, they charge, is to put pressure on the N.R.P. to make the Chief Rabbinate more "flexible" over the problem of the two *mamzerim*, whose cause was sponsored by Mr. Dayan.

The rank-and-file Alignment members *strongly* resented the current four-months' extension, legislated before Pessah, and threaten to launch a strong protest if the Alignment leadership agrees to another extension of the Chief Rabbis' terms. The N.R.P., on the other hand, strongly resents being used as a *"stick to beat the Chief Rabbis* with."

The N.R.P. faction will devote its caucus meeting next week to the Chief Rabbinate issue, and it is not certain whether Dr. Warhaftig will meet the Cabinet to discuss an extension before then.

Immigrant rights for ex-citizens are ruled out

Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter

The Knesset Finance Committee decided yesterday that former citizens of Israel who renounced their citizenship when they left the country could not enjoy immigrants' privileges when they came back.

The Committee also decided to increase — to IL100 — the amount that returning residents who were away for a period of up to one year may bring back in presents. Until now, persons away less than 15 days could bring back no presents, only personal effects; and those who were away 15-365 days were limited to IL70 worth of presents.

Committee chairman Israel Kargman, replying in the plenum later to a motion for the agenda by Mr. Uri Avneri (Ha'olam Hazeh), urging free public transport for soldiers on all routes, said that it was not feasible; the cost would be IL30m. (Mr. Avneri had argued that it would cost IL2m.).

Mr. Kargman said that not all soldiers would want free bus rides, and indicated that the bus cooperatives would be getting part of the payment for nothing. He noted that his Committee had just recommended extending the *system of free* bus rides on certain days along certain routes, and this was the logical way to attack the problem.

Mr. Avneri said that, with a defence budget of IL6,000m., he could see no justification for denying soldiers the elementary privilege of a free bus ride home.

Mr. Shmuel Tamir (Free Centre) said that soldiers were involved in road accidents because of their need to hitch-hike. Noting that he had two children in the Army, he mentioned that girl soldiers were sometimes unwilling to hitch.

Mr. Kargman persuaded the House to strike the Avneri motion off the agenda.

120 NEW IMMIGRANTS from South America, mostly from Argentina and Brazil, arrived here early yesterday morning by El Al from Rome. The immigrants had come to Italy by ship; but, failing to get a connection to Israel, had to be picked up by planes arranged for by the Absorption Ministry.

44 complaints of homosexual acts in country's jails

Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter

During the past three years there have been 44 complaints in the prisons about homosexual offences or attempts, Police Minister Shlomo Hillel told the Knesset yesterday.

Replying to a parliamentary question by Dr. Yehuda Ben Meir (N.R.P.), he said that 33 of the complaints had been taken to disciplinary tribunals inside the prisons. The rest were handed over to the Police for action.

Mr. Hillel said that the Prisons Service took pains wherever possible to improve prison conditions, by separating strong and weak inmates and isolating prisoners with overt homosexual tendencies.

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The Knesset Law, Constitution and Justice Committee on Monday decided to recommend extending copyright rights to 70 years after a writer's death, instead of 50 years as at present required. These figures were given incorrectly in yesterday's *Post*, due to typographical errors.

The Government, presenting the amendment to the present law, had suggested an extension to 80 years.

TEL AVIV STOCKS

IRREGULAR

Jerusalem Post Financial Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The stock market was irregular yesterday. Dollar-linked bonds fell slightly; index-linked rose slightly. The investment dollar stood at IL3.84.

The black market dollar in Lilienblum Street was IL3.69-IL3.70, and the German mark was IL1.04-IL1.05.

The general index of share prices fell by 0.04 per cent, to stand at 125.02.

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LINKED TO THE DOLLAR		
5% Dead Sea Junior	192.2	192.2
5% Electric Corp. Tranche A	121	115.5
6% Electric Corp. Tranche B	115.4	119.9
LINKED to the C.o.L. INDEX (Capital and Investment)		
Milve Kilta 1965	147	147.3
Bitahon 1968	112.8	113
SHARES		
Electric Corp. — O.	52	52
Union Bank of Israel — O.	109	109
Otzar Hit. Hayehudim — O.S.	149.5	149.5
I.D.B. Co. — O.	122.5	122.5
Gen. Mortgage Bank — O.	136	136
Pal.-British Bank — O.	143.5	142
Israel Discount Bank — "A" O.	222	222
Mizrachi Bank Ltd. — O.	120.5	120.5
Carmel Mort. & In. Bk. — "O"	102.5	102.5
Bank Leumi — "A" "O.S."	218	215
Mg. & In. Bk. for Bldg.—"D" O.	100	100
Bank Hapoalim — 10% P.O.	182	182
Industrial Dev. Bk.—8% P.O.	86.5	87
Develop. & Mortg. Bank — O.T.	156.5	156
Housing Mortg. Bank — O.	126.5	126.5
G.U.S.-Rassco — O.	75	74.5
Israel Cent. Tr. & Inv.	120	121
Hassneh Insurance Co. — O.	114	114
Wolfson, Clore, Mayer—O. IL1	81.5	84.5
Wolfson, Clore, Mayer—O. IL10	43.5	42.5
Tefahot Isr. Mor. Bank 8% P.O.	133	131.5
Tefahot Is. Mortg. Bank — O.	134.5	132.5
Sahar — "C" O.	85	85
Azorim — O.	86.5	86.5
Africa-Pal. Investment—O. IL10	127	127
Israel Land Dev. Co. — O.R.	85	86.5
Isr. Land Dev. Co. — 60/61 O.T.	85.5	86
I.C.P. Israel Citrus Plant—O	45	47
Property & Build. Corp. — O.	103.5	103.5
Mehadrin	118	118.5
Pri Or Ltd.	119.5	118.5
Anglo-Israel Investors — O.	91	91
Rassco — 8% P.O.T.	41.5	42
Rassco — O.	30	30
Isras	54	54.5
Neot Aviv — O.	32.5	32.5
Alliance — B.T.	990	990
"Elco" Isr.El.-Mech. In.—O.T.	92.5	92.5
"Argaman" — 8% P.O.T.	108	106
"Ata" — "C" O.	91	91.5
Motor House — O.	47	46
Dubek — 8% P.O.T.	129.5	127.5
Cold Stor. & Supp. Co.—O. IL10	93	89
Elect. Wire & Cable Co. — O.	101.5	101.5
Solel Boneh — 10% "A" P.O.	102.5	101.5
Lighterage Supply Co. — O.	68	68
Chemicals & Phosphates — O.	38.5	38.5
Lewin Epstein — 8% P.O.T.	56	56
Moller Textile — O.	113.5	113.5
Nechushtan — 8% P.O.T.	117.5	117.5
Teva — O.T.	493	493
Phonecia — 8% P.O.T.	61	61
Paper Mills — O.	169.5	171
Assis "B" — O.	145.5	146.5
Shemen 8% — P.O.T.	76.5	77.5
"Tasi" Man. of Plywood — O.	107.5	106.5
Delek "C" — O.	104	107.5
Elgar — O.	55.5	55.5
Ellern Invest. Co. — O.	120	116.5
Bank Hapoalim Inv. Co. — O.	120	120
Export Bank Inv. Co. — O.	39.5	39
Paz Investment Develop. — O.	68.5	68
Ampa Investment — O.	72	72
Discount Bank Inv. Cor. — O.T.	127	125
Japhet Bank Invest. Co. — O.	100	100
Bank Leumi Invest. C. — O.	*160*	*160*
Foreign Trade Invest. C. — O.	55.5	55.5
Mizrahi Inv. Corp. — O.	106	106
Hapoel Hamizrahi Inv. Co.—O.	38	38
"Piryon" Inv. Trust—"B" Sh.	50.5	50.5
Cla. Isr. Inv. Co. — O.	99	99
Naphtha — O.T.	45.5	46
Lapidoth — O.	69.5	69.5

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WALL STREET Closing Wednesday, July 7, 1971

Wall Street registers a 'technical gain'

NEW YORK. — Stocks were higher yesterday in moderate trading. Brokers say many investors, including some institutions, came off the sidelines late Tuesday and yesterday for selective buying, following a general increase in the bank prime rate.

Analysts consider the gain — amid a lack of encouraging news — constructive, but also say it is primarily technical in nature. They add that it will take further and longer gains for the recent market upward tendency to qualify as a summer rally.

The number of shares traded amounted to 14,52,000 as advancing *issues led declining 832 to 530. The* Dow Jones Industrial Average was up 3.58 pts. and closed at 895.88.

Alcoa	61½	Ekodak	77	Litton Ind.	31½	RCA	34½
Amer. Can.	35⅝	Fair Cam.	38⅛	Loew's	54	Reynolds T.	62¼
Amer. Mot.	6⅛	Fair Hill.	8⅝	Marcor	34¾	Sears Roe	89⅛
Ampex	19⅝	Fd. Nt. Mrtg	62⅝	Mc Crory	28	Solit. Dev.	15⅛
Amer. R & D	58	1st Ch. Fin.	24¼	McCul. Oil	27⅝	Sperry Rnd.	34⅛
Amer. T & T	45⅜	Forr' Mot.	62½	McDon-D	34	Stonj	76⅝
Anaconda	18¼	Gen. Bat.	28¼	Miles Lab.	49⅝	Syntex	67¾
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German Foreign Minister Walter Scheel, viewing a life-size photograph of Jewish inmates of Nazi concentration camps from close up at Yad Vashem yesterday. (Weiss photo)

Scheel starts Israel visit at Yad Vashem

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Germany's Foreign Minister Walter Scheel yesterday began his visit to Israel with a tour of Yad Vashem, the Nazi Holocaust Remembrance Authority, in Jerusalem. He was visibly moved by the exhibits of the Nazi atrocities and by the brief wreath-laying ceremony at Remembrance Shrine, where the ashes of victims from all the concentration and extermination camps are buried.

Saying that it was difficult to comprehend how his people had exterminated almost an entire nation that lived in its midst, Mr. Scheel stressed that his talks here would be guided by the spirit and sentiments which accompanied his visit to Yad Vashem.

Mr. Gideon Hausner, M.K., chairman of the Yad Vashem Council, addressed the visitor with a fervent declaration that Germany's only way to repent for its crimes and for the death of six million Jews was to assure Israel's survival and to support its security. Stressing that Israel could have expected better understanding of its problems and needs by the German Government, Mr. Hausner said that Germany should let Israel decide for herself what her secure boundaries should be.

LIGHT SENTENCES

Mr. Hausner, who was the chief prosecutor at the Eichmann trial in Jerusalem 10 years ago, also pointed out that a considerable number of Nazi war criminals had not been brought to trial and that, in many cases where trials had taken place, the sentences passed had been ridiculously light. He cited the example of Ludwig Hahn, the alleged chief killer of the Warsaw Ghetto, who lives comfortably at his villa in Hamburg.

(Leaders of the Organization of Former Jewish Partisans and Concentration Camp Survivors issued a similar statement on Tuesday.)

Mr. Scheel agreed that he would have liked to see justice done, but explained the difficulties in bringing people to trial after so many years.

Earlier, Mr. Scheel planted a tree on nearby Mount Herzl and told his hosts that he had read Herzl's book, "Altneuland," in which he describes how the future Jewish State would prosper.

'SHAME ON GERMANS'

A dozen teenaged Herut-affiliated Betar members greeted Mr. Scheel both at Mount Herzl and at the entrance to Yad Vashem with calls of, "Shame on the Germans" and songs of the ghetto. They carried placards declaring: "We shall not forget — we shall not forgive," and, "If you had succeeded in Auschwitz, none of us would have been present here today to meet you."

Shmuel Tamir, the lawyer and leader of the Free Centre Party, yesterday sent a memorandum to Foreign Minister Abba Eban, in the name of his client, German-Jewish Nazi-hunter Beate Klarsfeld, claiming that one of Mr. Scheel's top party aides had a Nazi record.

Mr. Tamir provided documents which, he said, prove that Dr. Ernst Achenbach, a member of the Bundestag and foreign affairs spokesman of the Free Democrat Party, joined the Nazi Party in 1937. He served as head of the Political Department of the German Embassy in Paris between 1940 and 1943, and, Mr. Tamir claims, was personally and actively connected with the deportation of tens of thousands of Jews.

Mr. Tamir asks the Foreign Minister to raise the issue with Mr. Scheel, and to request in the strongest terms, on behalf of the Government of Israel, that the political and public advancement of ex-Nazis — like Achenbach — in Scheel's party and in the Federal German Government cease forthwith.

ARRIVAL AT LOD

Jerusalem Post Staff

LOD AIRPORT. — The West German Foreign Minister, Dr. Walter Scheel, said on his arrival here yesterday that he had "great hopes that the dialogue between our two governments will give our relations another push forward." He was greeted at the airport by Foreign Minister Abba Eban, who said that "our two countries hope for a brighter future to emerge from the shadow of a terrible past."

The German Foreign Minister and his group arrived in a special Lufthansa Boeing 727 flight at 3.25 p.m., a quarter of an hour later than scheduled. The German Ambassador, Dr. Jesco von Puttkamer, and the Israeli Ambassador in Bonn, Elyashiv Ben Horin, were also at the airport.

Dr. Scheel proceeded over a red carpet to a podium with a loudspeaker and made a short statement before entering the car which took him to Jerusalem. He was wearing a dark blue suit and a grey tie, and his two silvery hair tufts were perfectly combed.

"We are not unknown to each other," Dr. Scheel said, addressing himself to Mr. Eban. "I gladly remember our talk at the U.N. in New York and your visit to Bonn in February of last year.

"My visit here differs from the routine of diplomatic calls generally. I am the first German Foreign Minister ever to come to Israel. I cannot arrive here with the same feelings I have when visiting other friendly lands.

"No German may except himself from his historical background. Nobody in the Federal Republic will be able, or will want to forget, what Germans have done to your people. Our hopes and aims, however, are turned towards a future marked by good relations.

"I would like especially to learn your views about the Middle East situation which concern you so immediately, and over which no European may remain unconcerned."

Dr. Scheel said that he and his wife had decided to extend the official visit by a day "in order not to reduce the stay to official business only."

The German Minister's party included Dr. Paul Frank, Secretary of State; Mr. Bernd von Staden, Director of the Ministry's Political Department; Mr. Ulrich Lebsanft, Deputy Director of the Department for Economic Policy, Development and European Economic Integration; Dr. Helmut Redies, Director of the Near East and North African Department; Mr. Harald Hofmann, Director of the Minister's Bureau; and Dr. Guido Brunner, Director of the Press Department.

Mr. Eban spoke in Hebrew and Dr. Scheel in German. Their addresses were interpreted.

One of the features of Dr. Scheel's "additional day" programme is a visit to Sde Boker, where he will meet with Mr. David Ben-Gurion.

Medals to Jerusalem Hagana veterans

Mayor Teddy Kollek was the first of a total of 130 persons who received a special medal struck by the Jerusalem Municipality for those who annually man the Memorial Day honour guard for the fallen of Jerusalem.

The guard is mounted from seven a.m. till seven p.m. at a platform bearing a memorial flame near the Russian Compound in the Capital.

The handsome medals were handed out at a ceremony in Beit Ha'am here last night to veteran Hagana members, Police and Army officers and members of bereaved families.

DEFENCE COSTS RISING: SAPIR

By YA'ACOV ARDON
Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — Finance Minister Pinhas Sapir, addressing a labour audience on social and financial questions yesterday, warned that there were already indications that defence costs were going up — not down.

Speaking at the Economic Club of the Haifa Labour Council, Mr. Sapir lashed out at what he called "the distorted picture of the Government's record on social problems and housing."

Homes had been built for the working class since the beginning of the state, Mr. Sapir said. The IL90m. now released were not the beginning of the Government's housing efforts. During the past four years, living standards have gone up, not down, he added.

As to privileges for newcomers — Mr. Sapir banged his fist on the table and warned that all discussions had to stop, "because we need those immigrants for security and growth."

Mr. Sapir also pointed out that the high cost of housing was not caused by speculators. Solel Boneh, which prided itself on handling 48 per cent of all construction, was not a speculator, he said; but its houses cost about the same as those of other builders. The Government favoured rental housing, the problem of how to reconcile building costs with reasonable rent had not yet been solved.

A IL40,000 home at six per cent would cost at least IL350 a month rent. Amidar, which is renting homes, is paying more in overhead expenses than it is earning from rents, he said.

Grenade explodes near Ashkelon

ASHKELON. — A grenade exploded outside the Paz petrol station at the entrance to town yesterday morning. A soldier who heard the explosion about 5.30 a.m. did not report it until he returned to his camp; but his superior officer then alerted police and security forces. Other people in the area later remembered having heard the blast, but said they did not think it significant at the time.

Investigators found a small hole caused by the explosion and the pin of a Russian-made hand-grenade. No damage was caused. *(Itim)*

'Old Guard' has firm control in Liberal parley

Jerusalem Post Political Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The complete control of the Liberal Party by its established leadership was apparent from the moment the Party Convention started its working sessions yesterday morning at the Z.O.A. House.

Although the Convention will only adopt resolutions at its closing session tonight, it was already clear yesterday that the overwhelming majority will reject the appeal by Herut Chairman Menahem Begin to merge the two parties. Instead, they are likely to continue supporting the existing Gahal electoral bloc. Mr. Begin made a short appearance during the morning session and was warmly greeted.

It was early apparent that the position of the four party leaders is unshakable and that Messrs. Yosef Saphir, Elimelech Rimalt, Simha Erlich and Arye Dulzin have emerged stronger than ever before.

The incumbent leadership demonstrated the weakness of the opposition minority by firmly limiting their speaking time.

At a caucus meeting of the opposition faction, Mr. Zvi Zimmerman, M.K., the Haifa branch leader, was elected chairman of the opposition faction. Removed from the faction Executive was its previous chairman, Mr. Yosef Serlin, M.K., and Mr. Haim Levanon.

The two main speeches of yesterday's session came from Dr. Rimalt and Mr. Zimmerman. Dr. Rimalt declared: "If Gahal should break up, the Liberal Party's majority won't be to blame." He warned that a merger would frighten away voters who now could back the "pragmatism of the Liberals" but not the "fundamentalism of Herut." He also warned that a merger could rend the Liberal Party, noting, "when Gahal was formed in 1965 it was warmly welcomed by the press, but this enthusiasm did not catch the voters."

Mr. Zimmerman said he was convinced that Herut would become more moderate under Liberal influence. "If we had been one party, we could have influenced Herut not to leave the Government," he added.

TODAY'S POSTBAG

A DAY CRECHE in Givat Olga, sponsored by the Wizo organization of Liverpool, was dedicated yesterday by Mrs. Rose Samuel, chairman of Wizo Liverpool. Greetings were brought by Mr. Dov Barzilai, Mayor of Hadera; Mrs. Tonie Hauser-Zeissler, head of Wizo's Fund-raising Department; and Dr. Hannah Gelber, head of Wizo's Child Welfare Department.

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TWO ULPANIM for immigrant children were opened yesterday at absorption centres in Givatayim and Nazareth by the Jewish Agency. Some 300 high school pupils will be taking summer courses in Hebrew at the new *ulpanim*.

U.S. official statement on 'F.B.I. passport snatch'

Jerusalem Post Diplomatic Correspondent

The U.S. Embassy version of the case of Miss Christina Cansini's passport has been given to the Israel Foreign Ministry, in an effort to correct what were described as erroneous stories in the local press.

The Ministry's spokesman said last night that a report on the Embassy's explanations, made on Monday, has in the meantime gone to the Israel Embassy in Washington. Copies have been circulated to the Ministers of Justice, Police and Interior, as well as to the Prime Minister. The spokesman denied that the Ministry had sought the information from the Embassy.

According to the Embassy, the 20-year-old Miss Cansini arrived in Israel from the U.S. on someone else's passport — not, as reported, on a forged passport. She was later visited at her Haifa residence by a U.S. consular official who suggested that she trade her passport for a new and genuine one to be issued by the Embassy. Miss Cansini agreed, filled out the required forms, and freely surrendered her passport for a receipt.

Accounts in the Israel press had charged foul play by the F.B.I. in obtaining the passport from Miss Cansini, a Christian sympathizer of the Jewish Defence League, who was apparently wanted in New York for annoying Soviet diplomats. (Legal attachés of the U.S. Embassy in Tel Aviv are understood to be F.B.I. agents.) Reports also said that the American official was aided by an Israeli citizen, Mr. Gad Sassover, who is the son of Mr. Y. Sassover, a Haifa consular agent.

Shapiro: don't know if F.B.I. operates here

Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter

Justice Minister Ya'acov Shimshon Shapiro said yesterday that he didn't know whether the American Federal Bureau of Investigation (F.B.I.) operates in Israel, and that his Ministry has no connection with the F.B.I.

Replying to a question in the Knesset from Mr. Uri Avneri (Ha'olam Hazeh), Mr. Shapiro said that as far as he knew the F.B.I. enjoyed no status here. "If it does (operate in Israel)," he said, "it does so within the frame work of the U.S. Embassy. It is an institution of a foreign power with which we enjoy normal relations. It is natural that a mission can either include, or not include, an institution of a foreign power."

The Justice Minister said that the persons who took Miss Christina Cansini's passport from her last week — whether they were U.S. Embassy personnel or F.B.I. men — did not use force. Noting that his information on the affair was incomplete and unauthenticated, Mr. Shapiro suggested that Miss Cansini got a receipt for her passport in the normal way, as well as application forms for a new passport.

MEYER LANSKY: I'LL FIGHT FOR MY JEWISH RIGHT TO STAY HERE

By SHALOM COHEN
Jerusalem Post Reporter

Mr. Meyer Lansky, who is suing a local newspaper for describing him as a leader of U.S. organized crime, declared yesterday that he intended applying for Israel citizenship. In a Radio Newsreel interview with Andrew Meisels, he said that he planned to become an Israeli citizen under the Law of Return.

"As a Jew I have the right to be here," he said. Asked what he would do should his application be rejected by the Government, he said he would definitely fight for his right to remain here.

Mr. Lansky has been in Israel as a tourist for almost a year. His tourist visa expires on July 27, and it will be up to the Minister of Interior to rule whether to grant an extension — or, alternatively, to grant citizenship should this be sought.

Interior Ministry sources questioned on Mr. Lansky's radio statement, referred to the legal issues involved. The Law of Return grants automatic citizenship to any Jew wishing to immigrate to Israel, with the exception of criminals, persons with mental illness, or those considered security risks.

In a Supreme Court case in 1962, a majority bench decision ruled that the reference to "a person with a criminal past who is liable to endanger public peace" in the Law of Return, meant a person who has been convicted — and not just charged.

Thus, taken purely on its legal merits, it was anticipated that Mr. Lansky could appeal to the Supreme Court in the event of a rejection. The sources noted that Mr. Lansky had been convicted of an income tax charge some 30 years ago, but that this was immaterial owing to the Statute of Limitations.

Again, on a purely legal basis, Mr. Lansky could also seek a Court injunction were he refused a tourist visa extension, it was said. Such extensions can be granted for a period of three months, up to a total of two years.

Mr. Lansky said in the interview that, if he had to, he would go to the courts to fight the U.S. State Department's action in revoking his passport. (Without a valid passport, an extension of his tourist visa would be difficult: "there would be nothing to stamp," the Interior Ministry sources noted. Theoretically, however, the visa could be made out on a separate form.)

Asked why he came here, he said "I always had the desire to come," and that after endless pestering by the (U.S.) authorities, he had decided to do so.

"I like it very much here — as a Jew I have a right to be here."

Asked about allegations that he was a leader of U.S. organized crime, he said "definitely not — ridiculous."

Asked whether he had engaged in illegal activities in the U.S., Mr. Lansky said, "if you want to call gambling illegal, then I did; but I was involved more in legal gambling than illegal."

Mr. Lansky said he was now retired. "I have income, enough to support me in Israel." Asked what he would do here if he were granted citizenship, he replied. "At my age one does not seek to do too much; so I'll go on being retired, and abide by the laws of Israel, and do all I can if I am called on."

A petition calling on the Interior Ministry to "grant Lansky rights in accordance with the Law of Return" was handed to a Ministry official yesterday by a group of Hebrew University law students. The petition included several pages of signatures. The students also asked for a meeting with the Minister.

DAYAN INSPECTS HERMON POSITIONS

Defence Minister Moshe Dayan yesterday inspected Army units and positions around Mt. Hermon. Mr. Dayan, who was accompanied by the Chief of Staff, Rav-Aluf Haim Bar-Lev, and the O/C Northern Command, Aluf Mordechai Gur, also inspected newly built roads in the area.

THE NAHAL SETTLEMENT of Dikla in Western Sinai is now a moshav. About 1,000 persons attended a ceremony yesterday at which the settlement was handed over to Betar members. Mr. Menahem Begin M.K. addressed the new settlers.

Phone operators in warning strike

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — A 24-hour protest strike by telephone operators and administrative personnel of the telephone service will begin at seven a.m. today, because, the employees claim, the Civil Service Commissioner is unwilling to meet their representatives and discuss the workers' demands.

The Histadrut-affiliated Civil Service Union did not approve the strike.

The Histadrut does, however, back the warning strike of the Engineering Department of the Ministry of Communications, which is scheduled to begin today.

Ashdod customs men on strike

Jerusalem Post Reporter

ASHDOD. — Ashdod Port was seriously disrupted yesterday because of a partial strike of the customs men.

The men are demanding retroactive pay as of 1966 for the security duties which they perform concurrently with their customs work. They are refusing to perform their security functions or to release any cargoes from the port.

Thus the warehouses at the port remained closed all day yesterday, although the port gates were open and trucks moved in and out all day without being inspected.

Port manager Mordechai Berger requested police aid in maintaining security checks at the gates, but Pakad Bezalel Linhard, Ashdod police chief, refused on the grounds that this did not fall within the domain of the police. The port management convened in the morning in special session and sent telegrams to the Minister of Transport and the Minister of Finance, stressing the serious situation at the port.

The Port Authority spokesman stated yesterday that the Authority is not a party to the dispute.

The Jerusalem Post learned from reliable sources that the Ports Authority, the police, and the Ministry of Transport are checking on the legality of a suggestion to set up a special police unit to carry out security duties at the port.

Life for matricide

TEL AVIV. — Mrs. Fawzia Reuven, 33, of Hod Hasharon, mother of three, received a sentence of life imprisonment in the District Court here yesterday for the murder of her mother.

On the morning of August 4, 1970, Fawzia — whose husband is a night watchman — walked into the Kfar Saba police station and told the duty sergeant that she had strangled her 70-year-old mother, Mrs. Ila Meir. The background, reportedly, was a continuous argument about the inheritance left by Fawzia's father. He had been killed in a traffic accident three months earlier.

The Court rejected the defence claims that the mother had attempted to blackmail her daughter and that the accused had acted in self-defence on the night of the murder. *(Itim)*

THE WEATHER

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Tiberias	30	20—37	[illegible]
Nazareth	55	18—29	[illegible]
Afula	43	20—32	[illegible]
Shomron	51	18—27	19—[illegible]
Tel Aviv	63	20—29	21—[illegible]
Lod Airport	48	18—31	19—[illegible]
Jericho	33	24—38	[illegible]
Gaza	62	21—28	21—[illegible]
Beersheba	32	17—35	18—[illegible]
Eilat	10	26—41	27—[illegible]
Tiran Straits	13	29—42	30—[illegible]

ARRIVALS

Mr. Fred J. Mallet, vice president of Veterans of the Jewish Legion in World War I, at the head of a delegation from the U.S. and Canada, for the third annual convention of the organization.

DEPARTURES

Mr. A. Lewensohn of Shaham-Lewensohn-Aylon, and Mr. S. Dafna of El Al for the U.S.

Mr. Ze'ev Kiss, representative of Olympic Airways in Israel, for the U.S., to promote pilgrimages to Israel, in cooperation with the Greek Orthodox Church in the U.S. (by El Al).

Mil. Governor said suspended at 'area' man's complaint

Jerusalem Post Reporter

BETHLEHEM. — This district's military governor, Sgan-Aluf Yehoshua Ne'eman, has reportedly been suspended from his post at the orders of the Defence Ministry in preparation to transfer him to another area.

The suspension order was yesterday said to have been issued following a Defence Ministry investigation into a complaint against S/A Ne'eman filed by a local Arab resident.

No official information was made available on the case. However, one source said that the complainant, an official of the local Water Department, was handcuffed and brought into the Military Government offices at one point for refusing to carry out a project he was ordered to execute at a certain place which had no water supply.

Gahal M.K. Haim Korfu, in a parliamentary question he tabled in the Knesset on Tuesday, asked the reason for the suspension of the Governor in Bethlehem.

Church: no aid from municipality

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Greek Orthodox Patriarchate in Jerusalem issued a statement objecting to a number of points which Foreign Minister Eban made last week in the Knesset regarding Christian Holy Places in Jerusalem. (See Readers' Letters, page five).

The Patriarchate wished particularly to stress that, apart from a lump sum received after the Six Day War for war damage, it receives no aid from the Jerusalem Municipality. Mr. Eban said that it had received help for repair work on the Church of the Holy Sepulchre and the Monastery of the Cross.

The statement was prepared for publication three days ago, but the Patriarchate agreed to postpone its issuance following an undertaking by the Foreign Ministry to "rectify some inaccuracies which had slipped inadvertently" into Mr. Eban's Knesset statement. The Patriarchate stated yesterday that, since the corrected version of Mr. Eban's statement had not yet been published, it had no choice but to issue its own statement.

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